



Dear Numismatic Enthusiast:

Happy New Year and welcome to Regency Auction 30. Legend Rare Coin Auctions welcomes you to Beverly Hills and we are proud to present our first "stand alone" Regency Auction. You will find in the pages that follow the largest and best January Regency Auction we have put together, ever!

The sale is headlined by many important properties, including:

The Maybach Collection of Buffalo Nickels—every coin is graded PCGS MS65. Fresh to the market, these coins have been off the market for 15-20 years.

The Formula 1 Collection of Barber Half Dollars—a partial set, all PCGS MS66-MS68. Featuring important pedigrees, including Eliasberg, Price, Norweb, Duckor, Akers, Shireman, and others, this collection was assembled over the course of several years by a dedicated collector.

The Star City Collection of CAC Morgan Dollars—the current #7 set on the PCGS Set Registry, all PCGS-graded and CAC-approved. A collection that is remarkably well matched in terms of eye appeal.

The Sand Hill and Symphony Collections—two small collections of type coins and better date gold that complement each other, and the other important consignments quite nicely. These two collections were built by two collectors dedicated to buying nice, collector quality coins that are generally high end for their assigned grades.

Individual rarities abound and are quite memorable, including:

Lot 1: Marvelous GEM 1831 Restrike half cent, PCGS PR66 BN CAC

Lot 80: GEM 5C 1926-S from the Maybach Collection

Lot 172: The Eliasberg-Stellar FINEST KNOWN 1896-O Barber Half from the Formula 1 Collection

Lot 233: 50C 1956 PCGS MS66+ FBL CAC-the twin to the record breaking 1958 in our last auction.

Lot 318: KEY PCGS AU55 CAC \$1 1893-S from the Star City Collection

Lot 385; One of the FINEST \$20 1854 Kellogg, graded PCGS MS62+ CAC from the S.S. Central America

Lot 411: GEM DCAM 1878 \$3 PCGS PR65 DCAM CAC—GORGEOUS!

Lot 454: The AMAZING PCGS MS67 CAC \$20 1909-D, ex Eliasberg-Duckor-A&A.

Lot 483: Amazing transitional 1865 "With Motto" 50C, J-427. PCGS PR66 CAC

We know that you will find something of interest to add to your collection in this sale. Please join us in Beverly Hills January 25-27 for lot viewing at the Beverly Hills Marriot and plan to participate on the evening of January 27 for the auction. Our friends at PCGS will be present at our lot viewing on Friday and Saturday, accepting submissions for grading at Long Beach—anything submitted at our lot viewing will be graded first at the show. We will then be at Long Beach for the show from set up to close on Saturday. Come see us and drop off consignments for the Regency Auction 31, which will be the official auction for the PCGS Members Show in March.

As always, we wish you happy collecting!

Julie Abrams
President, Legend Rare Coin Auctions

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# **PRINCIPALS**



Laura Sperber Partner

Laura was raised in Highland Park, NJ. During high school, the coin bug hit her hard. Her trip to the 1976 NYC ANA left a lasting mark and huge desire for her to own and handle the greatest rarities. While attending Monmouth University, Laura attended coin shows more than classes. After college, she started LSS RCI, a wholesale coin company. In 1986, she realized the need for a "better" coin retailer and teamed up in 1986 with George Huang to form Legend Numismatics.

In 1996 Bruce Morelan became a partner and since then Legend has exclusively built or assisted in assembling this generation's greatest collections. In 2012 Laura saw the need for a smaller, boutique auction firm, and created Legend-Morphy with Dan Morphy, whom she split with in 2014. Today, Laura is also a leading consumer advocate for coins. The passion has never subsided, and she keeps a beautiful Proof Walker on her desk to this day.



Bruce Morelan Partner

Bruce started collecting coins when he was only six years old and by the time he was in high school his dream was to be a coin dealer. But life intervened and instead, Bruce went into business. By chance, he became Legend Numismatics' financial backer in 1996. His great grandmother had given him three coins when he was young, one of which being a Trade Dollar, so he set out to build the finest Trade Dollar set. After a few years with ultra rarities, Bruce returned to his love of dollars and completed both a set of Gobrechts and a set of Seated Dollars.

After selling those sets, Bruce recently returned to dollars with a new Gobrecht set and a spectacular early dollar set capped by his dream coin, the Amon Carter 1794 Dollar. Not many collector's can say they have completed not only the finest 1794-1885 Dollar Sets and have over the years owned such coins as two 1913 Liberty Head Nickels, an 1894-S Dime, 1876-CC Twenty Cent piece, 1827 Original and Restrike Quarters, 1838-O Half Dollar, two 1885 Trade Dollars and four 1884 Trade Dollars!



**Julie Abrams** President

Julie Abrams started in numismatics in 1986 when she joined up with Bernard Rome and launched Teletrade, the first computerized auction company. Teletrade developed a unique coin trading method, utilizing state-of-the-art digitized voice board technology to run live auctions before the advent of the internet. As President of Teletrade, Julie helped expand the company, increasing the frequency of auctions and expanding annual sales to \$24 million within a few years. In 1999, GMAI, a publicly traded company, purchased Teletrade and Ms. Abrams became Executive Vice President of Sales for the parent company. Her job responsibilities included continuing her role as CEO for Teletrade as well as marketing to buyers and consignors, with the goal of maintaining a balance between inventory and sales while growing the business.

In 2004 she joined Stacks-Bowers, an old world traditional auction house where she worked to expand their e-commerce presence, including the development of an online bidding platform for the firm. She also marketed Stacks' programs to secure consignments from dealers and institutions such as banks, museums and universities.

Julie is a member of the American Numismatic Association, the Central States Numismatic Association and Florida United Numismatists.



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#### LOT 1 1/2C 1831 RESTRIKE. REV. OF 1836. PCGS PR66 BN CAC

B-2, the "first restrike" which is considered Low Rarity-6, with perhaps 20-30 known in all grades. This REMARKABLE GEM is one of the FINEST known examples and it has an amazing look.

The 1831 half cent is a MAJOR rarity! Of the business strikes, perhaps 20-30 examples are known in all grades. Original Proofs also exist, about 20 known. Two series of restrikes were produced for collectors, using the 1831 die, matched with an 1836 reverse and one matched with an 1840 reverse. All of these are VERY RARE today, and avidly sought by collectors.

Rich beaming, chocolate brown mirrored fields are solid and hard. The fields have the epitome of early copper Proof flash, are icy sleek and essentially flawless. A soft teal-blue overtone with traces of original red copper cling to the protected areas, further enhancing the outstanding SUPERB eye appeal. Every detail is razor sharp in definition on both sides, the reverse has a broad, bisecting die break, characteristic of the first restrikes.

Approximately 30 were originally minted. PCGS 2, NGC 2, CAC 2. The most recent example to sell was the Missouri Cabinet coin, reselling in the 2016 ANA auction for \$25,850, which realized \$28,750 in the original Missouri Cabinet sale. This coin last sold in the 2014 ANA auction for \$30,550. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$35,000. Note, we sold the Showers-Du-Pont-Missouri Collection coin, PCGS PR65 BN CAC for \$28,200 in our September 2015 Regency Auction. This is an exceptionally RARE Proof half cent and worthy of the FINEST collection of early copper Proofs.

PCGS# 1189 | ESTIMATE: \$24,000+





LOT 2 1/2C 1855 PCGS MS64RD CAC FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

Here is an exceptionally lustrous, fully RED 1855 half cent. The red color varies from the bold and bright to the more earthen, but as certified by CAC, the RED is complete and original. Razor sharp in strike, this coin has a great look and is well suited for any type set.

PCGS 180, NGC 72, CAC 20. The most recent example sold for \$1,980 in the 2018 ANA auction, and the current PCGS value is listed at \$1,650. RARE any finer, this coin is ideal for the budget minded collector who is building a set of copper coins in RED.

PCGS# 1235 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 3 L1C 1794 PCGS XF45 FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

S-43--a Rarity-2 variety. Housed in an old, green tag PCGS holder, this coin has a great look, with devices that are very sharply impressed on both sides, especially in the hair details. The planchet used for this coin has some mint made laminations and imperfections, none of which detract from the eye appeal, and are a natural part of the minting process. Warm milk-chocolate brown shows off some maroon and olive accents on both sides in the fields. Offering a very charming look, this 1794 large cent has a lot of character for an early die state.

PCGS 35, NGC 28. This coin last sold in April 2013 for \$5,288. More recently a different example sold for \$5,520 in the 2018 ANA auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$5,700.

PCGS# 1365 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





LOT 4 L1C 1812 PCGS AU50 CAC

FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

Small Date, S-290. Deep, rich brown surfaces show accents of olive patination in areas. The devices are crisply struck and offer bold definition on both sides. The devices show off only the slightest hint of wear. There is some micro-granularity and die rust in the devices which is very common on Classic Head types. The planchets were shipped from England and many show effects of salt water exposure PRIOR to striking. The eye appeal of this coin, housed in an OGH, is very bold.

PCGS 12, NGC 7, CAC 1. This coin sold in February 2018 for \$3,120 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500. Scarce any finer, these are usually NOT seen in CAC quality--this is a very RARE opportunity for the collector!

PCGS# 1561 | ESTIMATE: \$2,700+





LOT 5
L1C 1818 PCGS MS64RB CAC
FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

We do not care what the grade on the holder says, this coin is a GEM in terms of eye appeal! Highly lustrous surfaces show off a rich assortment of colors, ranging from the ORIGINAL MINT RED to icy teal-blue. Sharply struck up on both sides, the obverse displays the typical circular die break that connects all the stars and digits to the date. There are a few tiny ticks which account for the assigned grade, but the eye appeal is awesome and makes up for the more modest grade. N-10 is a common variety, and most of the Mint State examples are from the famed Randall Hoard.

PCGS 67, NGC 47, CAC 14. Auction prices realized range from \$1,028 to \$1,586 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,750. We know that these Randall Hoard coins make great representatives of the type for collectors and this one will fit so well into any collection.

PCGS# 1601 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





# LOT 6 L1C 1839 TYPE OF 1840, PETITE HEAD PCGS MS65RB CAC

N-8. This is a very high end GEM, one of the FINEST graded in the RB designation. Lots of original RED color mellows to a warm golden-brown. The gorgeous surfaces have a blazing cartwheel luster that radiates with a very high end vibrance. Both sides show a razor sharp impression from the dies, every detail is crisply impressed into the smooth defect free planchet. There are no stray marks anywhere and we note only a few tiny flecks. There are really no serious issues of any kind to distract from the amazing GEM quality and exceptional eye appeal.

PCGS 5, NGC 0, CAC 4. The most recent PCGS/ CAC coin to sell in auction was the coin sold in the Cardinal Collection sale of January 2013, which realized \$38,188, and had a big carbon spot in the center of Liberty's face. The presently offered GEM has a better overall look than the one that sold in October 2012. Keep in mind only one MS66 RB is finer at PCGS, the Naftzger-Pogue coin that sold for \$37,600 in March 2017. This HIGH END GEM is perfect for a well selected type or Red Book variety set. We anticipate strong bidding to bring this beauty home.

PCGS# 1818 | ESTIMATE: \$19,000+

## LOT 7 L1C 1851 PCGS MS66+ RB

Tied for FINEST 1851 large cent in the Red Brown category. Exceptionally bold cartwheel luster blazes a strong path across vibrant surfaces. While the surfaces are about 30% original RED color, the remaining 70% is a wonderful melange of lilac and teal overtones. Both sides are razor sharp in strike with fully and crisply defined hair lines and all but two stars have complete star centers. Even using a strong glass, we are unable to find a single mark of consequence and





the eye appeal is quite unique and attractive.

PCGS 2, NGC 0. There are none graded higher at PCGS per the current Population Report, although there is a record of \$7,188 for a PCGS MS67 RB in the September 2009 Naftzger sale. Neither 66+ RB has ever sold in auction but Collector's Universe lists a price of \$5,000. We anticipate this coin bringing a very strong bid for its beauteous eye appeal.

PCGS# 1893 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+



## LOT 8 1C 1858 LARGE LETTERS PCGS MS66

What a fabulous GEM. This coin oozes with originality!

Bold semi prooflike mirrors beam mostly from the obverse. The reverse is a thick satiny texture. You can actually see some light die polishing lines on the back too (Mint made and not too common on FE's). A strong luster can be seen all over. On the obverse there are tiny patches of irregular toning scattered about (and a small finger print). Do note this coin

over all is quite colorful. Everything is totally original. All of the details are fully struck. The eye appeal is wonderful!

PCGS 43, NGC 21. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell in auction brought \$6,600 in August 2018. The current Collectors Universe Value is \$9,500. Opportunity knocks loud here!

PCGS# 2019 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+





#### LOT 9 1C 1894/1894 DOUBLED DATE. PCGS MS65+ RD CAC

Ranking within the Condition Census for this RARE and IMPORTANT Indian Head cent variety, this coin is a gorgeous Premium Quality GEM!

The doubling at the date is bold, with the 894 originally punched too high and too high to the right then repunched in the correct spot. Vivid, full, blazing mint RED luster glows with a fiery intensity that is not often seen on these. The details

are sharply struck and the surfaces are basically without flaw. The eye appeal of this coin is superb. About a half a roll of GEMS were discovered back in the 1990s, according to series expert Rick Snow. A tiny planchet flake in the obverse field above N in UNITED may serve as a pedigree marker to that old grouping.

PCGS 12, NGC 6, CAC 5. There are two graded MS65+ RD, and neither of them have sold in auction. The most recent regular MS65- RD PCGS/CAC to sell in auction was the E.S.M. coin that sold for \$8,700 in the 2018 ANA auction. Prior to that, an MS64 RD sold for \$11,400 in November 2017. ONLY A SINGLE MS66 RD is finer, a coin that has been off the market since February 2001 where it realized just shy of \$30,000! This impressive, PQ GEM is worthy of placement in the FINEST collection of Indian Head cents, and we know that there will be strong bidding activity to bring home this conditionally RARE and important variety. Good luck!

PCGS# 92189 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+

#### LOT 10 1C 1899 PCGS MS67+ RD CAC

WOW! This is one of the FINEST 1899 cents! SUPERB RED, blazing, fiery luster beams with a very strong and high end vibrance all over. The RED luster beams brilliantly on the essentially FLAWLESS surfaces. Even using a powerful loupe, we can find zero signs of contact, anywhere. Every detail is sharply struck with full, crisp definition. This really is a MONSTER, totally SUPERB





PCGS 29, NGC 9, CAC 12. PCGS has graded just FOUR in MS67+ RD, and only two finer. NO MS67+ RD has ever sold in auction. We sold a a PCGS/CAC MS67+ RD in our October 2015 Regency Auction for \$13,513 and the last MS68 RD sold back in 2009 for \$97,750. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$17,500 and we anticipate that that level could be surpassed when the hammer drops. If you are building a top ranking set this is an opportunity that cannot be missed! Good luck!

PCGS# 2204 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+





LOT 11 1C 1907 PCGS MS66 RD

Bank roll fresh! Ultra satiny RED luster blazes across the GEM quality surfaces. Sharply struck on both sides, the devices show complete definition. The cheek and field show a tiny tick or two, but nothing distracting to the otherwise bold eye appeal and fiery RED brilliance.

PCGS 43, NGC 13. The last one to sell brought \$1,210 in our October 2018 Premier Session, and prior to that, one sold for \$1,200 in February 2018. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,600. With just 10 coins, this date is extremely RARE any finer, and a MS67 RD will cost \$20,000; even a 66+ RD will cost around \$3,000, making the current grade level a great value for the collector, and with its good looks, this GEM will see spirited bidding.

PCGS# 2228 | ESTIMATE: \$1,100+





LOT 12 1C 1908-S PCGS MS66 RD

In 1908, for the first time since coinage commenced, was a cent struck somewhere other than Philadelphia. In all 1,115,000 were struck and it was enough of a curiosity that there are a decent number of Mint State survivors for collectors today. HOWEVER, in this high grade, they are indeed RARE, excessively so any finer.

Shimmering, satiny luster blooms all over. Sharply struck devices are frosty and stand out nicely from the smooth surrounding surfaces. Even with the aid of a strong glass we are unable to see any flaws worthy of mention. The eye appeal is excellent.

PCGS 61, NGC 25. There is a wide range of auction prices; going back to 2001, the average of the 42 non-CAC PCGS coins comes to \$5,567 and the current PCGS value is \$5,800. Only 9 coins are graded finer, making this a great choice for the advanced collector.

PCGS# 2234 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+

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# LOT 13 1C 1909-S INDIAN PCGS MS 66+ RD CAC ion this is one of the FINEST 1909-S Indians you

No question this is one of the FINEST 1909-S Indians you will ever see. It is more than worthy of its + designation.

Totally clean surfaces are not as common on this date as you might think. Undoubtably this coin's surfaces are clean and are above average. This cataloger believes this coin has been safely stored since the day it left the bank. A strong glowing luster beams from all over. Both sides are a semi faded original GEM Mint red color. There is some super light original toning and a few toning dots scattered around. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and do stand out. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 28, NGC 8, CAC 10. PCGS has graded only 4 coins in MS66+ RD with just one coin higher (NOT CAC). A special note: in its 40 years of operations, our sister company, Legend Numismatics, has only handled one 1909-S PCGS MS66-and that was in 2016. Do NOT let the pops fool you, this is beyond a tough date and grade to find! The last regular MS66 RD sold for \$21,150 in August 2018. The current Collectors Universe non updated suggested value is \$20,000. We can see extremely strong bidding on this GEM-be ready and good luck!

PCGS# 2240 | ESTIMATE: \$20,000+





#### LOT 14 1C 1883 PCGS PR66+ RB CAC

GORGEOUSLY TONED! Really this coin is one of the prettiest RB examples we have seen. This highly reflective SUPERB GEM Proof 1883 cent has a stunning, amazing look! Awash in majestic magenta toning that blends with shades of vermilion, chartreuse, and rose. The eye appeal is amazing, and its quality affirmed by PCGS, CAC and the Eagle Eye Photo Seal. A coin like this would be worthy of a collection of amazing toned Proof Indian Head cents, the way the Northern Lights collector did with Morgan dollars.

PCGS 46, NGC 36, CAC 13. Only two PR66+ RB have ever been graded by PCGS. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500. Realizing \$2,938 in its last appearance, it will likely be exceeded when the bidding war for this beauty concludes. Bound for a set of AMAZINGLY toned Proof Indian cents.

PCGS# 2337 | ESTIMATE: \$2,700+





#### LOT 15 1C 1886 VARIETY 2. PCGS PR66 BN CAC

This is a very high end GEM Proof. Sharply struck devices stand out against the deeply mirrored and reflective fields. Rich, milk chocolate and mahogany tones reflect through light teal and sea green hues. Sharply struck, the design elements stand out with a bold effect, bringing strong eye appeal--well worthy of its certification by PCGS, CAC, and Eagle Eye.

PCGS 9, NGC 12, CAC 4. The last one to sell in auction was over five years ago, realizing \$1,116 in April 2013. Since then a PCGS PR66+ BN sold for \$2,174 in April 2016. The current CU value is \$1,550 and we suspect this one will see bidding exceed that level.

PCGS# 92345 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+

#### LOT 16 1C 1910 PCGS MS67+ RD CAC

Tied for ABSOLUTE FINEST at PCGS! This is a MONSTER RED 1910 cent! Visually impressive with a strong frosty, satin mint luster that is as RED today as it was 108 years ago when it left the mint! The surfaces are totally devoid of any marks, ticks, or discoloration. The eye appeal is AMAZING! We guarantee you will be very hard pressed to find a nicer example!





#### PCGS 42, NGC 15, CAC 11.

In the lofty grade of 67+ RD, PCGS has graded 8, NGC only 1. There are NONE FINER at either service! The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$11,000. This one holds the record for highest price realized for one of the three that have sold in auction, realizing \$10,869 in our May 2018 Regency Auction. We KNOW this coin will see stiff bidding competition from the top ranking Lincoln cent Registry Set collectors!

PCGS# 2437 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+





## LOT 17 1C 1922 NO D. WEAK REVERSE. PCGS MS63RD CAC

This is a true RED example of this variety. All 1922 cents were struck in Denver. A number of them were struck from grease filled dies; the detritus filled the Denver mintmark, giving some the look of having been produced in Philadelphia, and thus have become a popular issue among advanced collectors of Lincoln cents. Two reverse varieties are known, one with somewhat weakly impressed

reverse devices as here. By the very nature of the manufacture, this CHOICE RED example is very weakly struck, but both sides are very pleasing in terms of the bold eye appeal. Strong mint luster glows with a fiery vibrance. Unlike others we have seen, this is not a glorified "just made" coin, the RED is as brilliant as the day it came off the dies. There is a tiny fleck at the back of Lincoln's head and a few tiny ticks that account for the assigned grade. This high end coin is the ONLY one that has received a bean from CAC, and it is very easy to see why.

PCGS 5, NGC 0, CAC 1. In the databases, 1922 Weak D examples are lumped in with these, but you can easily tell the differences in price. The two that have sold in recent times realized \$4,080 and \$5,405 (April 2018 and October 2016 respectively), and neither had CAC approval nor did they have the outstanding eye appeal of this one. PCGS has graded three finer, and none have ever sold in auction. This is a great coin for any advanced Lincoln cent collector.

PCGS# 2542 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





LOT 18 1C 1930 PCGS MS67RD CAC

This is a marvelous SUPERB GEM that is bank roll fresh. Rich, totally ORIGINAL RED luster blazes all over. Likely this coin sat at the top or bottom of the roll, with the obverse touching the paper, as delicate iridescent hues come out as you rotate the satiny surfaces in a light. The surfaces are flawless, and the devices are nicely, though not fully struck up. The eye appeal is SUPERB!

PCGS 137, NGC 273, CAC 48. The most recent example sold for \$410 in a November 2018 Internet based auction. The current PCGS value is \$450. VERY RARE any finer, a 67+ RD will sell in the \$1,500-\$2,000 range. This is a great coin for any set of Lincoln cents.

PCGS# 2605 | ESTIMATE: \$450+





#### LOT 19 1C 1970-S LARGE DATE, DOUBLE DIE OBV. PCGS MS64RD

FS-101 (FS-029). Brilliant lustrous RED surfaces show wonderful toning accents of magenta and rose tone. The doubling is clearly evident at the date, IN GOD WE TRUST and LIBERTY. This modern rarity has just a few tiny, microscopic ticks that we note for accuracy, none of which have any affect on the super visual allure of this beauty.

PCGS 14, NGC 3. Prior to the most recent example that clearly fell through the cracks, the two previous examples sold for \$5,040 and \$6,463 (2018 FUN and 2017 ANA respectively). The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$10,000. We are not sure where the hammer will fall, but we know that with just four finer, this coin will delight any advanced collector of Lincoln cent varieties. Good luck!

PCGS# 92939 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





# LOT 20 1C 1985-D PCGS MS69RD

One of the FINEST examples of this modern cent and EXTREMELY RARE at this grade level. Blazing, fiery mint red luster beams from supremely high end quality surfaces. Even using a powerful glass you cannot find a single imperfection of any kind--this coin is PERFECT!

PCGS 7, NGC 3. Clearly none are finer. APRs range from \$2,703 to \$5,630 and the current PCGS value is \$3,150. If you are in the market to build the FINEST set of Memorial reverse cents, you will not find a finer 85-D! Good luck!

PCGS# 3074 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+

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## LOT 21 1C 1909 VDB PR66RD CAC

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is honored to have been chosen to offer what we consider one of the all time finest ever 1909 VDB RED Proofs. It has been off the market since 1999!

Previously, we handled the amazing PCGS PR67+ RB CAC. That coin was lit up up like a Christmas tree. This coin looks like an MS67 RD early Lincoln. It took us a few seconds to realize what it was. This coin is absolutely a candidate for a + (no promise) at the very least.

Out of this world GEM Matte surfaces are sweet and virtually perfect. Only using a strong glass can you see a tiny tick on a high point. There are no defects. A very light (and only seen with a glass) remnant of a partial fingerprint can be found. The GEM Mint red color is just amazing and is clearly totally original. Lincoln and every detail are sharply struck. The eye appeal is beyond amazing!

PCGS 7, NGC 8, CAC 3. PCGS has graded one coin PR67 and one PR67+. NO PCGS CAC PR66 RD piece has ever been sold at auction. The highest ever sold, a NON CAC piece, sold for \$69,000 back in 2011. Looking like this and being so fresh, we fully expet this coin to blow past that price easily!

This is a special PR66 RD from a famous long time Lincoln set. We cannot imagine the coin that replaced this coin. No question, this remarkable and totally original GEM RD piece will be a highlight in ANY GEM set. Good luck!

PCGS# 3302 | ESTIMATE: \$65,000+

## LOT 22 1C 1937 PCGS PR67RD CAMEO CAC

No imagination needed here to see the full cameo effect. This coin is the real deal and then some!

Immaculate mirrors beam intensely from all over. The mirrors have superb clarity and are super clean. When you twirl the coin all you see is a rolling, nearly blinding river of GEM RED colors. There are NO spots or discoloration. However, there are small patches of pure toning in microscopic form. Lincoln looks as handsome as ever. He is fully struck and has real thick frost. The eye appeal is sensational!

PCGS 5, NGC 8, CAC 3. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell in auction brought \$21,150 way back in September 2013. With all the great 1C Lincoln sets being built, we can see a bidding war happen for this coin. Be prepared and good luck!

PCGS# 83338 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+







LOT 23 1C 1938 PCGS PR67RD

What a great looking SUPERB GEM!

Brilliant, flashy, beaming fully RED surfaces blaze with intense clarity. Lincoln and every details are fully struck and there is no question as to this coin's very high end eye appeal.

PCGS 52, NGC 18. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,250 and the most recent PCGS non-CAC coin to sell in auction brought \$1,560 in the 2018 ANA auction. This is another HIGH END example that will see strong bidding.

PCGS# 3341 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+





LOT 24 1C 1940 PCGS PR67RD

This RED GEM has bold, flashy, and highly reflective SUPERB mirrors shining from all over! The surfaces are devoid of any of the flaws that you usually see: there are no spots, flecks, lines, or haze anywhere to be seen. The eye appeal is superb!

PCGS 16, NGC 7. The most recent PCGS graded example sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction for \$3,408 and the current Collector's Universe value is \$4,500. There are NONE graded finer at PCGS, making this a real prize for the Proof Lincoln cent collector. Do not let this SUPERB coin slip past you.

PCGS# 3347 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





LOT 25
2C 1864 SMALL MOTTO. PCGS MS64+ RB CAC
FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

Two varieties were struck for the first year of the denomination with the Small Motto being the much scarcer of the two. This coin is truly a borderline MS65. Lots of original RED color blends with soft natural violet-brown toning. Both sides are exceptionally clean and free of any distracting marks, lines, or carbon flecks of any kind. The eye appeal is very strong.

PCGS 100, NGC 52, CAC 22. This is the ONLY PCGS MS64+RB graded and it sold for \$3,055 in the 2017 FUN auction. Very much worthy of any GEM set of Two Cent pieces or any carefully chosen type set, this coin will delight any collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 3580 | ESTIMATE: \$2,700+





LOT 26
2C 1872 PCGS MS64+ RB CAC
This is a great 2 cent piece!

A light luster beams from all over giving the deeply faded red a great look! There are no major problems anywhere; only with a strong glass can you see some toning dots. All of the details are sharply struck. The eye appeal is pleasing for sure.

PCGS 38, NGC 21, CAC 10. PCGS has graded only 2 in MS64+RB. The other coin sold for \$10,925 in August 2011. More recent data points include a MS64 RB CAC that sold for \$5,040 in February 2018 and an MS65 RB CAC that sold for \$8,400 in November 2017. The current Collector's Universe value is \$6,250. Opportunity knocks loud here!

PCGS# 3613 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+

#### **LOT 27**

# 2C 1870 PCGS PR65+ RD CAC

Very HIGH END quality! Highly reflective! Rich, original, red mirrors have a fiery glow surrounding the crisply struck devices. The surfaces show a touch of lovely toning that attests to the originality and beauty of this high end GEM.

Only 1,000 were struck for collectors, and many have toned since issue. PCGS 42, NGC 26, CAC 7. Only two are graded at PCGS in PR65+ RD. The only PCGS/CAC PR65+ RD sold in August 2010 for \$4,888. More recently a PCGS PR65 RD CAC sold for \$2,160 and a PCGS PR66 RD sold for \$4,935 (both in 2017). In PR65+ RD,



the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,600. A great coin for any advanced collection of this obsolete denomination!

PCGS# 3644 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+





#### LOT 28 2C 1871 PCGS PR66+ RD CAC

WOW! This is what a SUPERB GEM PROOF Two Cent piece should look like! This stunner is tied with 2 others for FINEST graded in the RED designation.

Brilliant and fiery RED mirrors beam from all over! The mirrors are totally uninterrupted by any visually distracting imperfections. The devices are quite frosty and crisply embossed by an exacting blow from the dies. The mirrored fields have a "rippled"

orange-peal effect on both sides. Totally problem free, the eye appeal is very high end and will delight even the pickiest of collectors!

Only 960 were struck. PCGS 21, NGC 7, CAC 10. There are 3 coins graded PR66+ RD at PCGS and NONE are graded higher at PCGS in the RD designation. Prior to the one that we sold in January 2018 for \$11,750, the only other one sold for \$12,338 in April 2016. There is a record for a PR67 RD in a first generation PCGS holder that sold in the 2005 FUN auction for \$51,750 but that coin is no longer on the pop report and we believe that it is now in a PR67 RD CAM holder. The current PCGS Price for a PR66+ RD is listed at \$12,500 and that may need to be adjusted upward when bidding closes on this SUPERB GEM!

PCGS# 3647 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+

#### LOT 29

# 2C 1873 CLOSED 3. PCGS PR66BN CAC

The final date of this odd denomination also happens to be a PROOF ONLY issue. VERY flashy mirrors beam from the fields. Both sides show lots of ORIGINAL mint red that blend in with stunning blushes of magenta and violet toning. This is a coin where the color designation does not do the coin justice--there really is not much brown anywhere to be seen! The fields are ice-smooth, and close inspection does not reveal a single mark and only the most insignificant of microscopic flecks are found with the aid of a strong glass. The eye appeal is exceptional.





Only 600 examples were struck. PCGS 11, NGC 9, CAC 11. None are graded finer in the BN designation at either service. The most recent example to sell in auction was a PCGS/CAC coin that sold for \$4,700 in June 2015. In this cataloger's opinion this coin has a better visual appeal with much more original mint red color. The current Collector's Universe value is \$5,600 and these really are VERY RARE in such lofty grades. Be sure to bid liberally if you appreciate great color and eye appeal.

PCGS# 3651 | ESTIMATE: \$4,200+



## LOT 30 2C 1873 OPEN 3. PCGS PR66RD CAC

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to be able to offer one of the FINEST Proof 1873 two-cent piece that exists. Everything about this coin screams "Legend quality."

Rich copper red surfaces are highly reflective and have bold mirrored fields throughout. The mirrors are flashy and brilliant with full original MINT RED color. The sharply struck devices show off a razor sharp crispness that stands out against the icy smooth mirrored surfaces. Close inspection reveals only a single light fleck on the reverse worthy of mention. The eye appeal is spectacular! This is the PCGS CoinFacts Plate Coin.

Only 500 Open 3's were struck. PCGS 6, NGC 3, CAC 2. The last one to sell realized \$28,800 in the 2018 ANA auction, and prior to that, one sold for \$26,400 in November 2017. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$32,000. This marvelous SUPERB GEM is worthy of inclusion in the FINEST of Registry Sets. Good luck!

PCGS# 3656 | ESTIMATE: \$27,000+

#### LOT 31 3CS 1854 PCGS MS66+ CAC

An amazing SUPERB GEM 1854 3CS! Even though there are two finer (the MS68 is impounded in the #1 Simpson Collection Legend built), we fully rank this coin as one of the FINEST 1854's that exist!

The near-perfect surfaces are simply amazing, we even used a strong glass and looked multiple times for problems-and found none. We can't imagine how this coin lasted for 164 years in such a remarkable virtually untouched state of preservation.





A full, satiny, booming luster can be seen from across the room. Outstanding cartwheels swirl all over. Only the lightest traces of toning can be seen. We do not see these so needle sharp in strike as this coin is. This is way superior to the majority of 1854's in GEM we have ever seen. The eye appeal is super!

PCGS 17, NGC 4, CAC 13. Only two are graded MS66+. Of course, this coin has never been sold in auction. PCGS has graded only one 67 and the lone MS68 (which sold for \$64,625 in 2014). We doubt you will be able to improve this coin and ever get a better one. The other MS66+ was the Ipswich Collection coin we sold in our January 2018 Regency Auction for \$7,638 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$9,000. Bound for a great set of this obsolete series.

PCGS# 3670 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+





# LOT 32 3CS 1864 PCGS MS65 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a very high end GEM example of this low mintage Civil War date "trime." Only 12,000 were struck and the present coin, housed in an old green tag PCGS holder, has a distinctive, vibrant, flashy, fully Prooflike luster that blazes with a dramatic effect. Tinges of the slightest rose and gold iridescent toning are dusted over the intensely reflective surfaces. Both sides are razor

sharp in strike. A few scattered ticks are noted under the use of a strong glass, but most blend into the mint made die clash marks, so they do not detract from a superior eye appeal.

PCGS 18, NGC 11, CAC 4. The last PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction brought \$5,288 in August 2013. You know that the quality here will make this coin sell for a very strong premium bid.

PCGS# 3684 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





#### LOT 33 3CS 1866 PCGS MS67 CAC

This is truly a stunningly toned example of an unquestionable SUPERB Mint State piece. The fabulous surfaces are extremely clean and you can only see some light, Mint made die polishing lines with a glass. There are light traces of semi-prooflike mirrors and a strong luster which enhances splashes of original royal blue/purple/gold on both sides. Every detail is needle sharp and has thick frost. The eye appeal is breathtaking!

PCGS 10, NGC 3, CAC 9. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold for \$11,750 in

PCGS# 3686 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+

October 2015. The Gardner coin sold for \$15,275. Note that we sold one of the two MS67+s for \$20,563 in our January 2018 Regency Auction. This is a rare opportunity for the advanced collector of this obsolete series.

# LOT 34 3CS 1870 PCGS MS63 CAC

A very low mintage date of this series, from an original production of only 3,000. Like many low mintages, the fields show a semi-prooflike reflection. The devices are well struck and the surfaces show just a few minor lines visible only with a powerful glass. Richly toned surfaces have a battleship and slate overtone with highlights and accents of teal and gold. A truly CHOICE example that will be a superb addition to any Mint State 3CS set.

PCGS 9, NGC 10, CAC 1. This is a very infrequently seen grade. Going back to 2005, only five different examples have sold in

auction; the most recent selling in the 2017 FUN Auction for \$1,998, and it was NOT CAC approved; prior to that, the last coin was the same example selling in the 2008 FUN auction. Nine years between appearances is a VERY long time! The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,000 and the last PCGS MS64 CAC realized \$3,600 in March 2018. This impressive coin is worthy of a very strong bid from the specialist collector and inclusion in a very nice Mint State set.

PCGS# 3691 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+







#### LOT 35 3CS 1854 PCGS PR63 CAC

For collectors of Proof three cent silvers, you know how nearly impossible it is to find pre-1858 examples; the 1854 is one of the RAREST dates, with an estimated mintage of a mere 30 pieces.

Evenly toned in a delicate silver-dove-pewter overtone with touches of pleasing pale blue and rose gold iridescent toning. The fields show a glassy/watery reflection under the toning that does have a flashy vivacity when viewed under a light. Close inspection with a strong glass shows a few light lines mixed in with the raised die polish lines (as made). The devices are razor sharp in definition and this important rarity has a bold look.

PCGS 5, NGC 0, CAC 2. There has not been one sold since the 2015 ANA auction, a coin with very dappled, multicolored toning that realized only \$6,463. We say only because prior to that one brought \$15,275 in September 2012 and another brought \$9,200 in March 2011.

The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$10,000 and keep in mind that a PCGS/CAC PR64 sold in the 2017 ANA Auction for \$21,150. This coin is bound for a special set of Proof 3CS, and this is, for the specialist collector, an opportunity NOT to be taken for granted!

PCGS# 3701 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

#### LOT 36 3CS 1867 PCGS PR66 CAC

FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

An ultra PREMIUM quality GEM example of this very SCARCE Proof three cent silver! The fields show off a bold and deep reflection which stand in stark contrast to the sharply struck devices. The fields are watery and smooth, devoid of any distracting lines or marks. Both sides display a wonderful melange of teal, icy blue, pewter-slate, and olive-gold accents. The eye appeal is exceptional in every way!





Only 625 Proofs were struck. PCGS 30, NGC 26, CAC 16. The last one to sell realized \$2,468 in our December 2017 Premier Session. While the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,000, this GEM is worthy of a very strong bid! Take it from us, this is one of the series that our founder, Laura Sperber, has spent years specializing in!

PCGS# 3717 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





#### **LOT 37** 3CS 1872 PCGS PR67

One of the FINEST known of this KEY date three cent silver. Only 1.000 business strikes were produced. As such, collectors have long included one of the 950 Proofs in their sets. This marvelous PR67 is one of the FINEST known examples. Deeply reflective mirrors have a bold clarity under the multihued toning in shades of rose, green, blue, and gold iridescence. The devices are sharply struck and they stand out against the ultra clean, SUPERB GEM surfaces. The eye appeal, along with the

technical qualities are all high end and then some!

PCGS 3, NGC 8. No PCGS PR67 has sold in auction since the 2003 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$9,500 and it would not shock us at all if this magnificent example brought a bid close to that level. Only four coins are finer, with a PR68 selling in November 2012 for \$25,300. This is a grand opportunity for anyone building a very high ranking set of Proof Three Cent Silvers. Good luck!

PCGS# 3723 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+

# LOT 38

#### 3CN 1870 PCGS PR65 DCAM CAC

A remarkable GEM! While more were struck than previous dates, they clearly were not struck with the strong cameo contrast that this remarkable GEM possesses. The contrast is bold, created by the amazing, deep mirrored fields that offer superb clarity against the well struck frosted devices. The eye appeal is very high end and this coin is among the three finest DCAMs graded by PCGS.

February 2009 for \$8,625. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$7,500 and there are only two finer at PCGS, the finer of the

two is the PR66+ DCAM we sold in July 2017 for \$12,338. This fantastic GEM is worthy of a very strong bid! What a great coin for an advanced set! Good luck!

Only 1,000 were struck. PCGS 1, NGC 1, CAC 1. This GEM sold in



PCGS# 93766 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+







This is a gorgeous SUPERB GEM 1879 Proof 3CN! The mirrored fields have an exceptional amount of nickel flash with dazzling icy blue and gold pastel iridescent overtones. The devices are exquisite in their crisp execution. The eye appeal is very high end!

PCGS 50, NGC 54, CAC 30. There are only FOUR graded PR67+ with just 4 finer (none of which are CAC). The only PR67+ to sell brought \$1,175 in November 2014. So if you are seeking the FINEST CAC coins, this SUPERB 1879 is a very high end beauty and will see fierce bidding for sure.

PCGS# 3775 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

## LOT 40 5C 1879 PCGS PR67+ CAM

This FINEST graded piece is also the silent stopper of the series. Every set our sister company has ever put together-even NON Cameo, an 1879 was always the last coin needed. All of us here have tremendous respect for this date and grade. In our opinion, this incredible piece is the "how in the world does it even exist?" category!

Deep and almost ULTRA deep mirrors blaze brighter than the sun! The mirrors are super



clean and are crystal clear. The reflection is so bright you need sunglasses to view this coin. The contrast is almost 3D in boldness. Not even a tiny problem can be found. Every detail is thickly frosted and has a tremendous strike. The eye appeal is so crazy strong this coin looks like a medal!

PCGS 6, NGC 10, CAC 6. PCGS has graded only this coin in PR67+ Cameo. Pay attention to this stat: the last regular (not "+") PCGS PR67 Cameo sold in auction in 2003 for \$7,475! IS that a powerful statement for its rarity? This once in a decade coin is a MUST have. 30+ years of operations by PCGS and only 6 graded with one +? That is NOTHING!!!! This coin will be a Super Star in any collection!

PCGS# 83833 | ESTIMATE: \$11,000+

# **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on HAMMER. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

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# MAYBACH COLLECTION OF BUFFALO NICKELS

It is our honor to auction the Maybach Collection of Buffalo Nickels. The collector, a dedicated and passionate numismatist is a long time collector and a long time friend of both Legend Numismatics and Legend Rare Coin Auctions. This is a duplicate set of Buffalo nickels assembled over the course of many years; the collector has been seriously collecting coins for over five decades. In that time, among many collection, he has passionately built one of the finest Buffalo nickel sets. As he upgraded certain coins, he decided to make a second set, which is the one we are proud to offer in Regency Auction 30.

The Maybach Collector, who is also a collector of Native American art, just fell in love with the James Earle Fraser's classic, rugged, handsome design. Every coin is graded MS65 by PCGS, and since this collection was put together over the course of many years, mostly 15-20 years ago, this collection is fresh to the market, and there are many old holdered coins. A set like this has coins at all price points, from around \$100 to \$100,000, which allows collectors of all budgets the opportunity to share his treasured Buffalo nickels with many other collectors.

LRCA extends our deepest gratitude to the Maybach Collector for entrusting us with this collection, an we wish best of luck to all bidders and sincerely hope that you will love these coins the way our consignor did!



# THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF BUFFALO NICKEL COLLECTING: AN APPRECIATION OF THE "MOST AMERICAN" OF ALL COIN DESIGNS

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#### HISTORICAL AND DESIGN BACKGROUND:

With its strong and rustic, and yet quite refined design by James E. Fraser, the Indian Head or Buffalo nickel has long been a popular series. Struck from 1913 to 1938, this series is one of the most recognizable and memorable series of the 20th century. Seeing one often leads to nostalgic memories from our older family members who received these in every day circulation.

Starting in 1906, Theodore Roosevelt spearheaded an effort to redesign our nation's coinage. His earliest efforts began with a collaboration with famed sculptor Augustus St. Gaudens, whose famous Eagle and Double Eagles are among the most beautifully designed coins ever issued in the United States were the first coins in the "Renaissance of American Coinage." Following in 1908 with Bela Lyon Pratt's incuse Indian Head quarter eagle and half eagles, then in 1909 with the Lincoln cent by Victor David Brenner, James Earle Fraser began designing the nickel in 1912. Fraser was a noted American sculptor, who, like many of the other artists involved in the complete redesign of our coinage in the first and second decades of the 20th century, studied under St. Gaudens.

Having lived for years on the frontier and Native Americans, who were being pushed further and further from their lands, or forced on to reservations, became the inspiration for much of his sculptural work. His skill of portraying Native Americans is apparent. The obverse presents a Native American chief, which was, according to Walter Breen, "a composite portrait of three aged chiefs." These include Iron Tail (Custer's opponent at Little Big Horn), Two Moons, and John Big Tree. Breen noted, "The result is immediately identifiable as Native American, but cannot be attributed to any one tribe." While other Indian head designs had been in use or proposed for use prior, it is only the second design, next to Pratt's incuse designs that accurately portray a Native American, all other designs were of an allegorical Caucasian representation of Liberty with a Native American headdress. The reverse design was the famous Black Diamond, the American Bison (not buffalo) that was an attraction at the Central Park Zoo in New York.

It is interesting to note that at this time, roughly 1899 to 1915, there was a renewed interest in the wilds of the American West, which by that point was "won." In 1899 the \$5 silver certificate had a very similar motif, with a bold portrait of Running Antelope as the center of the front, and the \$10 Legal Tender note of 1901 had a bison. (According to Breen, it was designed after Pablo, who was Black Diamond's counterpart in the Washington Zoo, although Friedberg notes that there is disagreement whether it is Pablo or Black Diamond himself).

The design is very handsome indeed, but shortly after striking began, a problem was soon discovered. Fraser's original design "type 1" had the denomination, FIVE CENTS, on a mound below Black Diamond. It was quickly realized that having the denomination as the highest point of the design would make that wear off faster in circulation than any other design element. Charles Barber, the mint's chief engraver, redesigned the reverse to put the denomination in exergue below the bison. He also

modified other, seemingly minor details, that gave the Type 1 its rugged, handsome allure.

#### COLLECTING THE SERIES.

There are many ways to collect the series: one of each, Type 1 and Type 2. Date collectors will seek a single representative from each year Buffalo nickels were struck. More ambitious collectors will seek out one of each date and mint mark. The most advanced collectors will not only want one of each of the 64 date and mintmark issues, but also the 8 recognized "major" varieties, which include: the socalled 1914/(3) overdate, the 1916 Doubled Die, 1918/7-D, the 1935 Doubled Die Reverse, 1936-D 3 ½ Legs, 1937-D 3 Legs, and 1938-D/S and D/D repunched mintmarks for a total of 72 major business strike issues. The mint also produced Proofs from 1913-1916 and again in 1936 and 1937 (the first five were Matte Proofs; 1936 saw Satin and Brilliant Proofs, and 1937s were struck in Brilliant only). Any way you choose to collect Buffalo nickels, know that it is a completable series. While the Buffalo nickel series can be extremely challenging depending on the grade level you choose to collect, or how many of the rare varieties you choose to include.

Aside from the rare, Key dates, other factors add challenges for the collector. The key to being a successful collector is educating yourself on the intricacies of the series. Differences in die production and quality control allowed certain dates to be so poorly struck, that even in Mint State, the horn and tail details are not fully separated. Collectors interesting in building a set, regardless of grade, should be patient, and seek out only eye appealing coins. When collecting Mint State and Proof issues, it is a good idea to work with a knowledgeable dealer. A couple of decades ago, lots of amazing toned examples, some "too good to be true," came out on the market. These deceptive, artificially toned examples have remained very popular among collectors, but they are not original; the vast majority will not receive approval from CAC. Gorgeous, original toned coins do exist for most dates, but finding them can prove to be very difficult as they are extremely popular. Nickel is a reactive metal, so carbon spotting and unattractive toning can be often seen, so careful consideration must be taken when looking at coins for your set.

For those who like to "buy the book before the coin," John Wexler, Ron Pope, and Kevin Flynn's "The Authoritative Reference on Buffalo Nickels" (2007); David Lange's "The Complete Guide to Buffalo Nickels" (2006); and Q. David Bowers' "A Guide Book of Buffalo and Jefferson Nickels" (2007) are the most recent, comprehensive references on the series, and can be found at any numismatic supply company or book seller online.

Individual coins in circulated grades are very common and worth only a few dollars a piece; while the same date in Gem Mint State can cost hundreds or thousands of dollars. These conditionally rare issues are very popular among collectors, but finding the finest knowns can be very challenging and quite expensive. When building a complete set, you can do what the Maybach Collector did, which was focus on a grade (MS65 in his case) and buy nice examples for the grade. You can also do what the Angel Dee's collector did, buying the finest graded examples that fit into your budget.

The current market. For various reasons, this series seems to be somewhat overlooked in today's market. Ten to fifteen years ago, Buffalo nickels were very hot. Collectors were competing to build the finest Registry Sets. These deep pocketed collectors likely remember when you could find them in circulation with regularity, and perhaps filled an old Whitman or Dansco album or folder, always hoping to find a 3-legged or other rarity. Today, many collectors are building sets of silver dollars, gold coins, trophies. Building a set for the nostalgia of an earlier period in one's life seems to be fading, especially as society goes cashless. Today, we see many common dates selling for under \$500 in MS65, some even for as little as \$100-\$200. At the same time, major condition rarities are always in demand, as are the important key dates, which in high grade can be worth six figures. Because of old original hoards of certain dates, some dates are readily available up to MS67 grades. Others, are so rare in Mint State, that XF and AU coins are often substituted due to budgetary constraints.

Conclusion: No matter how you decide to collect them, the Buffalo nickel series will keep your attention for many years until you get your set completed. Start out with a date and mintmark set, add the important varieties if you so choose—some are more accepted than others. Take your time, and look at as many examples, so you can to get a sense of how individual dates come and don't come. Read as much as you can in auction descriptions, the above mentioned reference works, and at PCGS' CoinFacts website.

Building a complete set can be done, however it will take time, effort, and patience. It may take some time before you find the "perfect" coin for your set. Do not substitute a subpar coin in your set as a filler. Work with a dealer who has built amazing sets for their clients, they have the connections and knowledge to help you build the finest possible set. (Our Laura Sperber has built more all time #1 sets on the PCGS Registry for her clients than anyone else!).

By selecting out the best possible coins you can afford, your investment of time and money will be quite rewarding in the long run. This is a series that is due to make a come back among collectors building Registry Sets; sometimes all it takes is a collection like the Maybach Collection to inspire a few new collectors.





LOT 41 5C 1913 TYPE 1. PCGS MS65

A very pretty example, with a warm glowing luster that accents the icy, silvery-blue with apricot-rose tone. The strike is bold and there are just a few microscopic ticks mentioned for accuracy. CAC was very tough with this one, we are not sure what they saw.

PCGS 3966, NGC 2682. Auction records are in the \$100-\$125 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$130. This is a nice coin for any collector.

PCGS# 3915 | ESTIMATE: \$125+





LOT 42 5C 1913-D TYPE 1. PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a very high end GEM example with a great look. Sharply struck devices are accented by a glowing luster the brings out wonderful original golden color. The eye appeal is very nice for the assigned grade.

PCGS 901, NGC 536, CAC 88. This wonderful coin is housed in an old green tag holder. The last one to sell in auction brought \$264 in December 2017 and there are auction records of over \$400 for CAC approved PCGS/CAC coins. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$275. A great first year of issue to start off your Buffalo herd.

PCGS# 3916 | ESTIMATE: \$250+





LOT 43 5C 1913-S TYPE 1. PCGS MS65

Sharply struck with a warm, nickel-pewter colored hue that is brought out with a soft luster. The eye appeal is very nice for the grade.

PCGS 404, NGC 222. The last examples sold in the \$500-\$675 range and the current PCGS value is listed at \$800. This is a coin that is worthy of a nice collection of Buffaloes

PCGS# 3917 | ESTIMATE: \$550+





LOT 44 5C 1913 TYPE 2. PCGS MS65

A bright and vibrant nickel-silver luster blooms all over the fields on both sides of this GEM. Generally well struck throughout and there are no serious marks of any kind. Close inspection with a glass has some minor traces of tone, the eye appeal is very nice.

PCGS 679, NGC 338. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$350 and most examples have sold in the \$200-\$300 range. A neat early date GEM.

PCGS# 3921 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 45 5C 1913-D TYPE 2. PCGS MS65 CAC

A well struck and satiny example housed in a first generation PCGS holder. A delicate iridescent toning graces both sides and the eye appeal is amazing for the grade.

PCGS 172, NGC 84, CAC 35. The only PCGS/CAC example to sell in 2018 sold for \$969 in our May 2018 Regency Auction; in 2017, three examples sold in auction: November at \$1,020; August at \$1,410; and January at \$999. The CU value is currently at \$1,250. A tough coin to find finer, even the Angel Dee's coin was "only" MS65.

PCGS# 3922 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





LOT 46 5C 1913-S TYPE 2. PCGS MS65 CAC

Of the six 1913 Buffalo nickel dates, the 1913-S Type 2 is the scarcest. Sharply struck from clashed dies both sides are delicately toned. Nicely lustrous, which gives life to the gold and icy blue iridescent pastel hues.

PCGS 129, NGC 65, CAC 29. Two examples sold in 2017, both realizing \$2,820 (FUN and ANA auctions). Prior to that, one sold in October 2016 for \$3,055; the APRs for PCGS/CAC coins are all higher than the listed \$2,550 in the current PCGS Price Guide value. This GEM is worthy of inclusion in another wonderful set. Good luck!

PCGS# 3923 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





LOT 47 5C 1914 PCGS MS65

This is a highly lustrous GEM with a delicate pastel iridescent tone. Sharply struck, there is a tiny microscopic fleck on the obverse, which is all we can see that would preclude CAC approval (and note, it does NOT harm the eye appeal!)

PCGS 377, NGC 196. Most APRs are in the \$300-\$400 range and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$450. The eye appeal is great and These are indeed scarce any finer.

PCGS# 3924 | ESTIMATE: \$350+





LOT 48 5C 1914-D PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a VERY high end and very beautifully toned GEM 14-D nickel. Gorgeous pastel pink, rose, lilac, gold, emerald, and blue toning caress the smooth surfaces and sharply struck devices. The eye appeal is exceptional in every way.

PCGS 205, NGC 71, CAC 43. The most recent example sold for \$2,640 and it did not have the exquisite colors of this GEM. Other PCGS/CAC coins have sold in the \$1,100 to \$1,500 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,350. VERY SCARCE any finer! This multicolored GEM will delight any collector!

PCGS# 3925 | ESTIMATE: \$1,100+





LOT 49 5C 1914-S PCGS MS65

This is a very nice looking GEM housed in an old green tag PCGS holder. Pale iridescent toning is accented by a warm nickel luster. Boldly struck throughout, the eye appeal is very nice.

PCGS 163, NGC 52. The two most recent PCGS examples sold for \$1,800 and \$1,920. The current PCGS Price Guide is \$1,750. This date is RARE any finer, making the present example an excellent choice for your collection.

PCGS# 3926 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+





5C 1915 PCGS MS65 CAC

We like the look of this pleasing, well struck GEM. Light pastel hues are dusted gently over the satiny smooth surfaces.

PCGS 537, NGC 309, CAC 47. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$350 and these have sold for as much as \$940. This is a very pleasing coin, a delight for any collection.

PCGS# 3927 | ESTIMATE: \$300+







Of full GEM quality, this 15-D has a lovely underlying luster that accents subtle gold, lilac, and sea-green. The strike is bold with nearly complete definition on both sides. There is a single hairline, seen only with a strong glass, and noted only for full disclosure. A very pleasing GEM for the collector.

PCGS 156, NGC 68, CAC 34. The last PCGS/CAC example to sell realized \$1,680 in October 2018 and prior to that, one sold in June 2018 for \$2,400. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,500 and this date is quite RARE finer; the last PCGS/CAC MS66 sold for \$3,840. Nice examples like this are few and far between.

PCGS# 3928 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





LOT 52 5C 1915-S PCGS MS65

A very interestingly toned GEM 15-S nickel. Sharply struck up on both sides. Rotating this coin in a light the dappled iridescent hues really bloom, much more vibrant on the reverse than obverse. Tangerine and icy blue tone dominates, with subtle tan and dove colors in areas. The eye appeal is cool and unlike what is normally seen.

PCGS 128, NGC 56. The most recent example to sell in auction brought \$2,100 in September 2018 and prior to that, non-CAC examples sold in the \$2,585 and \$2,800 range. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,450. Very rare any finer, this old holdered GEM will delight any collector.

PCGS# 3929 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+





LOT 53 5C 1916 PCGS MS65

A very pleasing, original 1916 in MS65. A warm, glowing, underlying luster adds definition to the sharply struck devices and gives life to the delicate pastel gold iridescent tone. Struck from a crumbling obverse die. A good looking coin overall.

PCGS 604, NGC 303. While there is an APR in 2018 for \$408, most sold in the \$200-\$250 range and the current PCGS value is listed at \$300. Scarce finer, this GEM has a neat look worthy of a collection.

PCGS# 3930 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 54 5C 1916-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Dripping with a wonderful icy-satin nickel silver luster that enhances the smooth, problem free surfaces and highlights the the sharply struck devices. Inspection with a strong glass does not reveal any marks, ticks, or grazes of any significance. That have a negative effect on the outstanding eye appeal.

PCGS 146, NGC 49, CAC 36. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,500 and CAC-approved, PCGS MS65 coins have sold in 2018 in the \$1,020 to \$1,740 range. VERY RARE any finer, this coin is worthy of any GEM Buffalo nickel set.

PCGS# 3932 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





LOT 55 5C 1916-S PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a beautiful GEM housed in an old green tag PCGS holder. Nicely struck throughout the design elements, this coin has a very high end, attractive look.

PCGS 109, NGC 43, CAC 18. The last one to sell in auction realized \$2,040 in September 2017 and prior to that one sold in the 2017 ANA auction for \$1,880. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,400. RARE any finer, this is a great value point for the collector.

PCGS# 3933 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+





LOT 56 5C 1917 PCGS MS65 CAC

Beautiful golden toning is blanketed on the smooth, GEM quality surfaces. A soft satin sheen catches the light, adding a vibrance to the subtle hues that blend with the gold tone. Sharply struck up and only with the aid of a strong glass can any tiny tick be located, none of which have an effect on the outstanding eye appeal.

PCGS 335, NGC 124, CAC 38. The two most recent PCGS/CAC examples sold in June and July 2018 for \$504 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$500. Scarce any finer, this GEM is perfect for any Buffalo nickel collector.

PCGS# 3934 | ESTIMATE: \$450+





LOT 57 5C 1917-D PCGS MS65

Great gold toning surrounds the sharply struck devices. Highly lustrous nickel-silver surfaces gleam from all over. The look on the reverse is really neat, the toning makes the buffalo really stand out!

PCGS 188, NGC 49. The last one to sell brought \$1,560 in September 2018 and one sold for \$1,800 in the 2018 ANA sale and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,250. RARE any finer, the Collector's Universe value in MS66 is listed at \$8,000.

PCGS# 3935 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 58 5C 1917-S 5C PCGS MS65

This is a wonderful GEM, housed in a first generation PCGS "rattler" holder. Offering a moose of a strike, this coin is very sharp and has a great look. Light, clear gold tone blends with some icy blue. There are some minor toning flecks that attest to the originality of this GEM and do not detract from the great eye appeal.

PCGS 92, NGC 60. The last two to sell realized \$2,640 and \$2,520 in September 2018. Two others sold in 2018 for \$2,640. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,750 and this date is very RARE in MS66. This great coin is FRESH to the market, and will delight any collector. Worthy of a premium bid and will see active bidding for sure!

PCGS# 3936 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





LOT 59 5C 1918 PCGS MS65

A wonderful, icy nickel-silver luster beams from all over. The surfaces are generally clean and free of any seriously distracting marks that cannot be seen without the aid of a powerful loupe. Delicate iridescent toning is dusted evenly on the GEM surfaces, giving this coin its really nice look.

PCGS 227, NGC 67. The last one sold for \$1,020 in September 2018 and one sold for \$1,320 in June 2018. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,150 and the value jumps to \$2,600 in MS66. This is a great value for the collector.

PCGS# 3937 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





LOT 60 5C 1918-D PCGS MS65

Here is a GEM that we cannot really tell what CAC saw that would preclude a green bean. The luster is bold, the details well struck, the surfaces nicely toned and free of distracting marks or ticks. All combined, this coin has a really nice look!

PCGS 68, NGC 26. There were two examples sold in September 2018; one realized \$2,760 and the other \$2,220. Prior to that, there are other records in the \$3,000 to \$3,525 range, with the current PCGS Price Guide value listed at \$3,750. This is another date that is RARE any finer. A great coin for any Buffalo nickel collector, add this one to your herd!

PCGS# 3938 | ESTIMATE: \$2,300+

### LOT 61 5C 1918-S PCGS MS65 CAC EX McCARROLL COLL<u>ECTION</u>

Hailing from the all time #3 PCGS Registry Set is this magnificent GEM 1918-S. The McCarroll Collection is a Hall of Fame Set, winning awards each year from 2002-2004. The present coin is worthy of any WORLD CLASS Buffalo nickel collection. In Gem this is a VERY RARE date, and is excessively rare any finer with just four in MS65+ and a single MS66 finer.

A brilliant mint luster swirls in the fields with a fierce vibrance. As you twirl the coin in a light subtle tinges of icy blue, delicate rose, and pale gold pastel iridescent hues come to life. For the date, this beautiful coin has an excellent strike. Even using a strong glass we are hard pressed to find any serious marks. Indeed, other than some mint made clash marks we see nothing other than a few tiny flecks that would keep this GEM from at least a "+" if resubmitted (we make no guarantees). The eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 36, NGC 17, CAC 8. The most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction brought \$21,150 in December 2015; prior to that, one sold in the 2014 Central States auction for \$22,325. Indeed, every CAC approved example has sold well in excess of the current PCGS Price Guide value of \$15,000. The last MS65+ was the Angel Dee's coin we sold in our December 2016 Regency Auction for \$29,375. This beautiful GEM, with its provenance back to the Hall of Fame # 3 All Time Set will entice strong bidding. Keep in mind this date, while RARE in GEM is EXCESSIVELY so any finer, with the single MS66 finest impounded in the Forsythe Collection. This is a very important opportunity for the advanced collector to acquire one of the FINEST 1918-S nickels. Good luck!

PCGS# 3940 | ESTIMATE: \$18,000+



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### LOT 62 5C 1919 PCGS MS65 CAC

Here is a very pleasing, frosty/satiny lustrous GEM with nice iridescent toning on both sides, sharply struck devices, and a dearth of contact. Struck from a broken obverse die, there are a number of cool die cracks.

PCGS 491, NGC 185, CAC 40. The last two PCGS/CAC coins to sell in auction both sold for \$456 in September and December 2017 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$450.

A neat type coin or nice GEM example for the collector.

PCGS# 3941 | ESTIMATE: \$400+

### LOT 63 5C 1919-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Like many of the early mint marked Buffalo nickels, the 19-D is a conditionally RARE issue. The presently offered example is lustrous with a nice nickel steel patina, with a touch of iridescent tone that adds to the exceptional visual allure. The strike is strong for the date with nearly full detail. The eye appeal is exceptional.

PCGS 75, NGC 20, CAC 16. The last one to sell realized \$6,169 in our May 2018 Regency Auction; prior to that





one, an example brought \$8,519 in July 2014. Prior to that, one sold in February 2013 for \$18,975. There are only 24 coins graded finer. This handsome GEM is well suited for any high ranking GEM set!

PCGS# 3942 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+





### LOT 64 5C 1919-S PCGS MS65 CAC EX AMD COLLECTION

This is a conditionally VERY RARE date. This is a beautifully preserved and high end example, totally worthy of the CAC bean!

Brilliant luster shows hints of reflectivity in the fields. A boldly struck GEM with beautifully original golden-rosepale violet iridescent tone. All the details in the Indian's hair and buffalo are accented by the color and

semi-reflective luster. This coin is all there and then some! A rarely seen date in this high grade.

PCGS 34, NGC 17, CAC 11. There are only six coins graded higher at PCGS. The most recent PCGS/CAC MS65 sold for \$11,750 in July 2014, and prior to that, one sold for \$14,950. The current PCGS value is \$9,000. EXTREMELY RARE finer, keep in mind that a 65+ sold for \$28,200 and the most recent MS66 sold for \$82,250. This lovely coin will certainly sell for a strong price when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 3943 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+

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LOT 65 5C 1920 PCGS MS65

This is a very lovely GEM. Boldly lustrous and well struck, there is a touch of delicate nickel-gold toning. The eye appeal is very nice on this PQ example.

PCGS 280, NGC 113. The last five APRs sold in the \$450 to \$552 range and the current PCGS value is \$650. A lovely coin worthy of a type or date set.

PCGS# 3944 | ESTIMATE: \$500+





### LOT 66 5C 1920-D PCGS MS65

Looking at this old holdered GEM, we wonder why CAC did not sticker it! A bold, flashy luster blooms all over, showing off some subtle hints of PL reflection in the obverse fields. When the light catches those areas of reflectivity, the soft golden hues really pop on the obverse. The golden hue is more pronounced on the reverse. Both sides are clean, free of any distracting marks and we note just a few tiny flecks under the use of a powerful loupe. The eye appeal is stunning. Again, we don't understand why it did not sticker at CAC.

PCGS 95, NGC 25. The last three examples sold in auction were in 2018, ranging from \$3,360 to \$4,100. and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$4,700. We think there is a lot of duplication in MS65 and 65+ in hopes of trying to get a 66 grade. A great coin for any collector of Buffalo nickels.

PCGS# 3945 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





### LOT 67 5C 1920-S PCGS MS65

This is a magnificent GEM example of this conditionally very rare date. The present coin is very high end with very impressive rainbow iridescent toning. A forceful blow from the dies imparted essentially full definition to the strike. In Mint State grades, especially in GEM, the 20-S is an important KEY date; indeed, David Hall notes in PCGS CoinFacts: "I'd call the 1920-S the second rarest Buffalo nickel in Gem condition after the 1926-S."

PCGS 28, NGC 13. While the most recent example sold for \$13,200 in the 2018 FUN auction, this GEM was last sold in April 2009, where it realized \$25,300. The current PCGS value is listed at \$16,000 and we anticipate that this one will yet again realize a very strong price. Only two coins are graded finer a 65+ and a 66, neither of which have ever sold in auction and the 66 is impounded in the Forsythe Collection. This is a premium coin worthy of inclusion in another world class set. Good luck, as we anticipate strong bidding for this one.

PCGS# 3946 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





### LOT 68 5C 1921 PCGS MS65 CAC

This is indeed a beautiful example, a GEM in every sense. Fully lustrous and well struck, the icy silver surfaces are vivid and clean. Housed in an OGH, this coin has a great look and will delight any collector!

PCGS 298, NGC 134, CAC 40. The last PCGS MS65 with a CAC sticker realized \$720 in March 2018 and prior to that, one sold in the 2017 FUN auction for \$1,116. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$800 and this one will likely sell for more. A delightful GEM worthy of any Buffalo nickel collection.

PCGS# 3947 | ESTIMATE: \$650+

### LOT 69 5C 1921-S PCGS MS65

This is a wonderfully lustrous and beautifully preserved GEM. A blazing luster blooms with a bold vivacity that is rarely seen on this date. The most gentle touch of light golden and rose pastel iridescence. You can tell this coin was carefully selected for its crisp strike and awesome eye appeal. A strong glass does reveal a couple of the smallest ticks, which are noted for the sake of full disclosure but they do not affect the eye appeal.





### PCGS 75, NGC 37. The most

recent example to sell in auction brought \$9,600 in September 2018 and prior to that, there are records of over \$10,000. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$9,000. With only 16 coins graded higher, this is a very rare date any finer--MS66 is the finest. Housed in an OGH, this coin will see very serious bidding from advanced collectors looking to add a great 21-S to their sets. Good luck!

PCGS# 3948 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+





### LOT 70 5C 1923 PCGS MS65

Sharply struck and wonderfully lustrous, both sides are of GEM quality all the way. A close look with a glass reveals a tiny fleck on the head, but it blends in with the details and does not stand out.

PCGS 361, NGC 173. The current PCGS value is listed at \$525 and the most recent examples have sold in the general \$400-\$650 range. The value more than doubles in MS66. Bound for a nice set of Buffalo nickels. Good luck!

PCGS# 3949 | ESTIMATE: \$450+





LOT 71 5C 1923-S PCGS MS65

A coin that is dripping with satiny lustrous vibrance. A delicate iridescent toning. A date that often comes with no strike, this one was clearly selected for the full horn and full detail of the tail. Delicate golden-rose patina can be seen on the reverse accenting the impressive details on that side. The eye appeal is very high end, a coin that will delight any specialist.

PCGS 58, NGC 36. The last one to sell realized \$4,560 in September 2018 and before that one sold for \$3,600 in April 2018 and one sold for \$3,840 in the 2018 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$5,500. Just 9 coins are finer at PCGS, anything finer is going to cost \$18,000 or more for a 65+ and a 66 will cost \$50,000 or more! This GEM presents a good opportunity for the collector! We know the bidding will be intense for this one!

PCGS# 3950 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





LOT 73 5C 1924-D PCGS MS65

Clearly a coin that sat in some old album set for ages, as both sides are framed in a gorgeous halo of rainbows. Pleasing eye appeal is further enhanced by a brilliant mint luster that blooms all over. The details are sharply struck and the surfaces are free of any distracting marks. Despite not having CAC approval, this GEM has a great look.

PCGS 140, NGC 19. The auction records in 2018 range from \$2,600 to \$3,840 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$3,600. Very scarce any finer, there are 86 in MS65+ which we believe represents duplication trying to get a 66 grade, of which only 9 are graded by PCGS. With its great look, this GEM will be worthy of a strong bid. We can see it bringing a very premium bid when the hammer finally falls. Good luck!

PCGS# 3952 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





LOT 72 5C 1924 PCGS MS65

Icy nickel gray luster blooms nicely on with a touch of soft gold that appears when rotated in a light. Sharply struck the eye appeal is very nice. A strong glass can find a few minor ticks and flecks, none of which affect the eye appeal.

PCGS 242, NGC 106. The last two sold in September 2018 for \$840 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$900. With its great look this GEM will see active bidding!

PCGS# 3951 | ESTIMATE: \$650+

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### LOT 74 5C 1924-S PCGS MS65 CAC

LRCA is proud to offer this important condition rarity. What a wonderful GEM. A vibrant, satiny luster blooms with a strong brilliance in the fields around the sharply struck devices. A soft, mellow gold patina clings to the lustrous surfaces on the obverse, and blend with icy tangerine and blue tone on the reverse. The eye appeal is spectacular in every way. The 24-S is one of the rarest dates in GEM grades, especially with CAC approval. A coin worthy of a world class set.

PCGS 47, NGC 19, CAC 12. The last one sold in the 2018 FUN auction for \$15,600 and prior to that, one sold for \$16,450 in the 2017 ANA auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$14,000 and only six coins are graded finer at PCGS, with a 66 being worth \$50,000 or more. This marvelous GEM is going to bring a strong bid from an advanced collector. Bound for a world class set of GEMS.

PCGS# 3953 | ESTIMATE: \$14,000+





LOT 75 5C 1925 PCGS MS65

A frosty, lustrous GEM with a neat look. Sharply struck, the surfaces look like a sheet of fallen snow with steely-blue accents

PCGS 577, NGC 224. Auction prices have ranged from \$244 to \$1,028 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$375. Bound for a neat set of Buffalo nickels that show good eye appeal.

PCGS# 3954 | ESTIMATE: \$250+





LOT 76 5C 1925-D PCGS MS65 CAC

A marvelously toned GEM housed in a first generation PCGS slab. Very high end quality and the eye appeal is wonderful. Vivid pink, gold, olive, emerald and rose patina blend together. An interesting dappled pattern in the toning is evidence of long term storage in an ancient collector envelope, both sides taking the impression of the paper's texture. A bold luster brings out the subtleties of the splendid toning. Generally well struck, the there is only a touch of weakness on the buffalo's haunches and there are no distracting marks of any kind. The eye appeal is stunning!

PCGS 111, NGC 47, CAC 20. The last one to sell in auction realized \$2,640 in November 2017 and we sold one in our October 2017 Regency Auction for \$3,760; neither of those two coins could ever match the unique and totally original toning and eye appeal of this beauty. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,900 and this date is VERY RARE finer, this coin is a true prize for any toned Buffalo nickel collector!

PCGS# 3955 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

### MAYBACH COLLECTION OF BUFFALO NICKELS

### LOT 77 5C 1925-S PCGS MS65 CAC

The 1925-S is one of the rarest dates in the Buffalo nickel series to locate in full GEM Mint State grades, it is extremely rare in any grades over MS65. It often comes lackluster and flatly struck. The Maybach Collector over the years worked very hard to locate the very finest MS65s graded by PCGS. We rank the presently offered example as a very high end MS65.

Obviously the first thing that catches your eye is the splendiferous, original



orange-gold, lime-green, and lilac-gray patina that caresses the surfaces on both sides, likely imparted by years of storage in an old collector envelope. Nicely struck for the date with just a touch of weakness seen in areas with effort. Even under intense magnification with a powerful loupe, we are hard pressed to locate any flaw of any kind of significance. Housed in an OGH, this visually striking GEM will delight any advanced Buffalo nickel collector.

PCGS 31, NGC 24, CAC 8. The most recent PCGS/CAC MS65 sold in our January 2018 Regency Auction 25, realizing \$20,563. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$21,000. Only THREE coins are graded higher, 2 in MS65+ and one in MS66. The last MS65+ to sell realized \$35,250 in April 2017. This is a very RARE opportunity for the advanced collector to add a GEM to any high ranking Registry Set. We anticipate very strong bidding for this impressive beauty.

PCGS# 3956 | ESTIMATE: \$17,000+





LOT 78 5C 1926 PCGS MS65 CAC

A hand-selected GEM 1926 nickel. Brilliant luster in the fields accent the boldly embossed devices. Both sides offer a lovely, original tone. Only a few tiny ticks keep this coin from an even higher grade, but the eye appeal is unaffected and is very high end!

PCGS 1105, NGC 542, CAC 71. Three PCGS/CAC examples sold in 2018, ranging from \$156 to \$300 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$200. A great example for the beginning collector.

PCGS# 3957 | ESTIMATE: \$150+





LOT 79 5C 1926-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Here is a very impressive, beautifully toned and highly lustrous GEM example of this conditionally RARE Buffalo nickel. While its San Francisco mint sibling is much more famous, being a six-figure rarity in MS65, the 26-D is very difficult to find in CAC approved GEM grades. Highly lustrous surfaces are smooth and clean, accenting the crisply struck devices. Apricot peach and champagne-gold tone can be seen on both sides, which accents the strike and HIGH END GEM surfaces.

PCGS 98, NGC 29, CAC 18. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$4,750 and the most recent example to sell in auction realized \$5,520 in June 2018.; prior to that, one sold in the 2018 FUN auction for \$3,720. That was the first one sold since July 2015. These do not appear with much frequency and this one will see very spirited bidding. Rare any finer, this coin has a great eye appeal that will excite any collector of GEM Buffalo nickels.

PCGS# 3958 | ESTIMATE: \$3,600+



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### LOT 80 5C 1926-S PCGS MS65 CAC

By far the 1926-S is one of the stoppers in the series and is extremely rare in full GEM. The Maybach collector did all the hard work and found an exceptional HIGH END specimen.

Exceptional surfaces are clean and smooth. Even using a strong glass all you can find are microscopic toning dots -not flecks or carbon. A way above average luster beams boldly from all over. Both sides enjoy a very light pastel like mix of colors with gold being the most widely seen. Very important to note: all of the details are sharply struck and do standout. There is no hidden wear anywhere. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 13, NGC 8, CAC 4 (with none higher). PCGS has graded 3 in MS65+ and none higher. An FYI on the CAC number 2 coins are MS65+. The last 1926-S PCGS MS65 CAC to sell in auction brought \$99,000 in January 2018. Unless you want to spend \$200,000 on an MS65+, this is the ONLY other CAC piece you can buy (assuming the other is off the market). Opportunity knocks loud here!

PCGS# 3959 | ESTIMATE: \$85,000+

### MAYBACH COLLECTION OF BUFFALO NICKELS





LOT 81 5C 1927 PCGS MS65 GOLD CAC

A conservatively graded GEM with icy, nearly PL reflective nickel silver luster. Sharply struck, clean, and very high end--this beauty will delight any collector. Housed in a second generation PCGS holder.

PCGS 775, NGC 335, CAC 69. CAC has awarded just this one a GOLD sticker in MS65. A PCGS/CAC MS66 sold for \$360 in June 2018 and this one should sell for more! A great coin for any collection.

PCGS# 3960 | ESTIMATE: \$300+





LOT 82 5C 1927-D PCGS MS65

A brilliantly lustrous GEM example. Conditionally RARE any finer, this is an ideal grade for most collectors. Both sides are dusted with a delicate iridescent tone that accents the nicely struck devices. The Indian and the buffalo show bold definition on both sides. A lively luster blooms in the fields, bringing out the subtle hues on both sides. The eye appeal is quite nice overall and this date is very hard to find any finer.

PCGS 83, NGC 28. We sold one in September 2018 for \$3,290 and before that one sold in another September 2018 auction for \$5,520. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,950. There are 20 reported in MS65+ and only 9 in MS66 with any 65+ being worth \$5,000+ and any 66 being worth \$20,000+. This coin presents a great price point for most collectors, so we do anticipate a lot of activity when this one crosses the block.

PCGS# 3961 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+





### LOT 83 5C 1927-S PCGS MS65

This remarkable GEM is housed in an old green label holder and has not been in auction recently as far as we can tell. Watery, semi-reflective lustrous surfaces show off a delicate touch of icy blue and brilliant lemon-yellow pastel color. Boldly struck devices are just shy of being 100% complete and the eye appeal is wonderful. There are no flaws of any kind visible to the naked eye, nor even when using a powerful loupe. We do wonder why this impressive coin did not bean at CAC--there is nothing

that stands out to us. The eye appeal is truly fantastic in hand.

PCGS 37, NGC 21. EXTREMELY RARE ANY FINER! Just five coins have graded finer at PCGS. The most recent examples to sell in auction realized between \$9,000 and \$10,200 and the current PCGS Price Guide listing is \$14,000. Keep in mind we had the pleasure of selling the two of the FINEST examples, including the Angel Dee's MS65+ in December 2016 for \$24,675 and the sole MS66 in July 2013 for \$86,250. Being so cost prohibitive finer, we know this GEM will see very strong bidding. Worthy of a very high ranking set of Buffalo nickels, good luck!

PCGS# 3962 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+





LOT 84 5C 1928 PCGS MS65

This is a very pleasing, flashy GEM with a bold, icy luster that beams with a strong brilliance on both sides. Pale ice-blue toning is dusted over the crisply struck devices and satin smooth fields. Housed in an old holder, this 1928 nickel has a nice look.

PCGS 609, NGC 225. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$300 and recent auction records fall in the \$174 to \$282 range. Scarce any finer, the value more than doubles in MS66. A very nice coin worthy of a strong bid.

PCGS# 3963 | ESTIMATE: \$220+





LOT 85 5C 1928-D PCGS MS65

Bold mint luster blooms all over with a vibrance that gleams in the fields. Softly toned with gentle pastel iridescent hues gracing both sides. Sharply struck devices show only some very minor ticks that keep the coin at the assigned grade. Housed in an early blue tag holder.

PCGS 415, NGC 131. Prices have ranged from \$360 to \$528 in recent auctions and the current PCGS value is listed at \$600. Very scarce any finer, the PCGS value more than triples in MS66, this GEM does represent a good value for the more budget minded collector.

PCGS# 3964 | ESTIMATE: \$350+





LOT 86 5C 1928-S PCGS MS65 CAC

A lovely GEM with distinctively lustrous fields. Pleasing steely-nickel hues blend with light iridescent toning quite nicely over the sharply struck devices. A very unique looking example with excellent eye appeal.

PCGS 88, NGC 43, CAC 26. Going back to 2011, there have only been 10 CAC-approved examples that sold in auction, the most recent one we sold was in January 2018 for \$2,938. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,750 and keep in mind a marginally finer MS65+ would cost about double, and any PCGS MS66 is a five figure coin.

PCGS# 3965 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





LOT 87 5C 1929 PCGS MS65 CAC

A highly lustrous GEM with pale gold and green toning that appears in the fields. Impressive quality for the grade, this 1929 is worthy of a strong bid.

PCGS 661, NGC 253, CAC 73. The most recent PCGS/CAC sold for \$336 in October 2018 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$250. The CU value jumps to \$775 in MS66 and the eye appeal is very high end, worthy of any nice set!

PCGS# 3966 | ESTIMATE: \$250+





LOT 88 5C 1929-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Displaying a better than average strike, this GEM is very high end for the grade. A warm, glowing satin luster blooms under a light golden iridescent hue. The eye appeal is very high end and this coin is housed in an old green tag holder.

PCGS 218, NGC 59, CAC 44. APRs have fallen all over the place for this date and grade. The most recent PCGS MS65 CAC sold in November 2018 for \$750; previous records are in the \$705 to \$1,293 range and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$950. Scarce any finer, this is a wonderful, original GEM that any collector would be delighted to own in their sets. Good luck!

PCGS# 3967 | ESTIMATE: \$700+





LOT 89 5C 1929-S PCGS MS65

Wow, this is a very lustrous GEM example. Delicately toned, but the surfaces are mostly icy nickel-silver. The eye appeal is very high end and we think that just a few touches of ancient PVC is what keeps this coin from beaning, but keep in mind that because the coin is housed in an OGH, it has not been submitted for conservation. This minor flaw does NOT harm the coin, the surfaces are not affected by it.

PCGS 608, NGC 194, CAC 62. The current PCGS Price Guide lists a value of \$400 and this date is certainly scarce finer. The most recent examples to sell sold in the \$288 to \$456 range. This vivaciously lustrous GEM should see strong bidding for sure.

PCGS# 3968 | ESTIMATE: \$280+





LOT 90 5C 1930 PCGS MS65

Bold, vivacious luster on both sides give the pale golden tones a spectacular look. Nicely struck and displaying only the most minute microscopic ticks, we are unsure why this coin did not CAC

PCGS 1246, NGC 443. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$230 and we are sure this one will sell for more. A nice looking GEM for the collector.

PCGS# 3969 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 91 5C 1930-S PCGS MS65 CAC

Not a rare coin, but certainly not common looking like this. Very wholesome, handsome, and original with a lovely luster and soft iridescent hues that complement a sharp strike and imparts a wonderful eye appeal.

PCGS 489, NGC 175, CAC 59. The last PCGS/CAC example sold for \$408 in January 2018 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$375. Scarce finer, this coin, housed in an OGH will see strong bidding.

PCGS# 3970 | ESTIMATE: \$300+







The 31-S is a scarce date, with only 1.2 million examples having been struck. This one is a lustrous and handsome GEM with a good strike. There are a couple of grazes that keep this coin from attaining CAC approval, but they really do not have an effect on the eye appeal.

PCGS 1793, NGC 730. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$275. Worthy of a lovely collection.

PCGS# 3971 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 93 5C 1934 PCGS MS65

Here is a very pleasing example housed in an OGH. Soft satiny luster gleams under a golden-dove tone. Sharply struck.

PCGS 713, NGC 332. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$205. The eye appeal is nice and a neat coin for any beginner collector.

PCGS# 3972 | ESTIMATE: \$125+





LOT 94 5C 1934-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Satiny and highly lustrous, this GEM has a lovely iridescent, pastel toning on both sides. The surfaces are smooth and clean and the devices are well struck.

PCGS 432, NGC 104, CAC 42. The last CAC-approved example sold for \$600 in August 2018. Other examples have sold in the \$336 to \$500 range and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$425. Surprisingly RARE any finer. Good luck!

PCGS# 3973 | ESTIMATE: \$300+





LOT 95 5C 1935 PCGS MS65 CAC

Icy nickel-steel luster blooms all over the GEM quality surfaces on both sides. Sharply struck with just a few tiny ticks seen with a strong glass. Housed in an old green tag holder.

PCGS 1304, NGC 669, CAC 34. The last three examples sold for \$115 and \$119 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$125. A great coin, that despite its modest value, will appeal to any collector.

PCGS# 3974 | ESTIMATE: \$100+





LOT 96 5C 1935-D PCGS MS65

Lightly toned with a warm golden hue. The eye appeal is quite nice.

PCGS 557, NGC 297. The current PCGS value is listed at \$325 and the last one to sell realized \$235 in October 2018. Scarce any finer, the CU value in MS66 is \$900.

PCGS# 3975 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 97 5C 1935-S PCGS MS65

This really is a boldly lustrous GEM housed in an old green tag holder. Well struck with fully defined details, this beautiful example shows only a tiny graze or two, but the eye appeal is very strong for the grade.

PCGS 1160, NGC 496. The current PCGS value is \$210 and these have sold in the \$114 to \$204 range. A lovely collector coin.

PCGS# 3976 | ESTIMATE: \$120+







A truly delightful GEM with bold satiny luster and lovely iridescent, pastel toning that gives this coin a wonderful eye appeal.

PCGS 2403, NGC 1084, CAC 55. Collector's Universe lists a value of \$75 and CAC approved examples have sold for more. This one will see strong bidding, a great GEM for the beginning collector!

PCGS# 3977 | ESTIMATE: \$60+





5C 1936-D PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a lovely, well struck GEM housed in a green tag holder. Mint fresh, this coin has a great look.

PCGS 2109, NGC 1108, CAC 34. The last one sold in October 2018 for \$216 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$90. This GEM has a great look and will sell for a premium bid.

PCGS# 3978 | ESTIMATE: \$150+





LOT 100 5C 1936-S PCGS MS65 CAC

A lustrous and wonderfully iridescent, pastel toned GEM housed in an OGH.

PCGS 1876, NGC 804, CAC 29. This coin is exceptionally beautiful for the grade and should bring a bid well in excess of the current Collector's Universe value of \$90.

PCGS# 3979 | ESTIMATE: \$75+





LOT 101 5C 1937 PCGS MS65 CAC

A very flashy lustrous GEM with a nice strike and a distinctive look that is in an old green tag encapsulation.

PCGS 6047, NGC 2339, CAC 82. Perhaps conservatively graded, there is not much of a spread between 65 and 66 with CU values at \$40 and \$65 respectively.

PCGS# 3980 | ESTIMATE: \$40+





LOT 102 5C 1937-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Housed in an old green tag holder, this GEM has a bold luster that beams all over. The eye appeal is enhanced by the most subtle clear gold tone and sharp strike.

PCGS 4104, NGC 1577, CAC 92. Two examples sold in February 2018, one for \$55 and one for \$145. This coin is very high end for the grade and a delight to behold. We have seen many 66s that do not have the outstanding eye appeal this one does!

PCGS# 3981 | ESTIMATE: \$50+

### **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on HAMMER. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

### LOT 103 5C 1937-D 3 LEGGED. PCGS MS65

This is a very eye appealing GEM example of this classic Buffalo nickel issue--one of the most famous issues in all of American numismatics. Highly lustrous surfaces beam from all over with a wonderful multi-colored iridescent pastel toning seen on both sides, especially on the obverse. Generally well struck, there is just a touch of the typical weakness known for the date, as the reverse die was worked over to take off some clashmarks. Indeed that is how this variety was created, when an overzealous filing with an emery board took off the some of the clashmarks, as well as the Buffalo's right front leg. Generally visible only with a strong glass is a tiny cut and a few minor ticks on the reverse.

PCGS 54, NGC 55. Our database lists 40 non-CAC PCGS graded MS65s sold, going back to 1997, with the average realization of \$30,283. There are four records from 2017 and 2018 ranging from \$20,402 to \$28,800 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$29,500. Worthy of a serious bid from an advanced collector, we can see this coin being the centerpiece of another nice set of Buffalo nickels.

PCGS# 3982 | ESTIMATE: \$20,000+







LOT 104 5C 1937-S PCGS MS65

Pretty toning covers the lustrous nickel surfaces on both sides of this GEM. Housed in an early blue tag holder.

PCGS 4311, NGC 2118. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$40. A coin like this is worthy of a premium bid.

PCGS# 3983 | ESTIMATE: \$50+





### LOT 105 5C 1938-D BUFFALO. PCGS MS65 CAC

Flashy, almost chrome-like luster blazes on both sides amplifying the clear gold patina on both sides. This old holdered GEM has a great look!

PCGS and NGC combined have graded over 32,500 examples in MS65, but CAC has beaned only 467 examples. The current CU value is listed at \$40, but a coin that looks like this will easily bring way more.

PCGS# 3984 | ESTIMATE: \$50+





### LOT 106 5C 1938-D/S BUFFALO. PCGS MS65

The final coin in the Maybach Collection happens to be a popular repunched mint mark variety. Lovely radiant nickel-silver accents the delicate golden-russet tones on both sides. Sharply struck and beautiful. Housed in an OGH.

PCGS 1982, NGC 724. Recent examples have sold for as much as \$168 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$145. This lovely GEM represents a fine conclusion to this GEM set.

PCGS# 3985 | ESTIMATE: \$100+

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### LOT 107 5C 1913 TYPE 1, PCGS MS67 CAC

This SUPERB Type 1 1913 Buffalo nickel is exceptional in every way. A bold luster beams from all over, accenting the chiseled sharp strike. Every detail is fully rendered to its fullest advantage from really neat, rusted, cracked, and clashed dies. A subtle iridescent tone gleams with a shining nickel-silver luster. The eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 606, NGC 286, CAC 247. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$900, and APRs are in the \$720 to \$1,600 range.

PCGS# 3915 | ESTIMATE: \$950+





### LOT 108

### 5C 1913-D TYPE 1. PCGS MS66+ CAC

A wonderful, SUPERB GEM example with full satiny luster and boldly defined design elements. Delicate, iridescent hues are seen on both sides adding to the eye appeal.

PCGS 489, NGC 173, CAC 131. There are 28 graded MS66+. The current PCGS value is \$825 and APRs range from \$633 to \$1,265, none have sold since April 2014. Scarce finer, fewer than 100 have graded finer.

PCGS# 3916 | ESTIMATE: \$750+





### LOT 109 5C 1918 PCGS MS66 CAC

Wow, this coin is very high end and is a PQ GEM. Everything about this totally original 1918 nickel screams quality and eye appeal. The frosty nickel luster on both sides is gently dusted with a pastel pearly and gold patina. The eye appeal is above what is usually seen for this date and grade; we very much like it and if you are a Buffalo nickel collector, you will fall in love.

PCGS 84, NGC 8, CAC 15. The most recent PCGS/CAC coin realized \$3,525 in June 2017 and one sold for \$2,115 in the 2017 FUN auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,600 and with its great looks, this one will likely bring a price around that level, it is truly a Premium Quality example. Good luck.

PCGS# 3937 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+

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### LOT 110 5C 1918/7-D PCGS XF40 CAC

This is a very pleasing and totally original example of this important KEY Buffalo nickel overdate. Lightly and evenly worn surfaces are devoid of any serious marks or ticks. A light pearly-dove patina is covers the surfaces on both sides. Accents of gold and powder blue add to the visual allure of this important collector grade 18/7-D.

PCGS 37, NGC 26, CAC 13. We sold two recently, one for

\$6,875 in July 2018 and one for \$7,425 in June 2018. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$8,500. Bound for a lovely set of CAC-approved Buffalo nickels, and always in demand from collectors, regardless of grade.

PCGS# 3939 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+





LOT 111 5C 1937 PCGS MS67+ CAC

While not a rare coin, this 1937 in MS67+ is VERY high end for the grade and is extremely eye appealing. An icy lilac-blue and gold iridescent tone is brought out by the bold, satiny luster on both sides, accenting essentially perfect surfaces and sharply struck devices.

PCGS 547, NGC 478, CAC 128. IN 67+, PCGS has graded 64. The current Collector's Universe value is \$950, and there is a wide range of APRs, from \$540 to \$2,820. Only 15 coins have been graded finer, including the Angel Dee's MS68 that we sold for \$13,338 in December 2016. This SUPERB GEM will delight any Buffalo collector and will make a great addition to any "herd."

PCGS# 3980 | ESTIMATE: \$950+





LOT 112 5C 1937-D 3 LEGS. NGC AU58 CAC

A borderline Mint State coin that is the definition of a slider for sure. There is only the slightest touch of friction on the highest points. Lovely, original toning on both sides is brought out by traces of bold underlying nickel-silver luster. The 3-Legged Buffalo is one of the more famous issues of 20th century numismatics, and the presently offered AU58 is quite choice, housed in its old NGC "fatty" holder.

PCGS 985, NGC 1328, CAC 170. The most recent NGC/CAC coin sold for \$1,495 in July 2018; prior to that an example sold in March 2018 for \$1,560. The eye appeal of this old holdered coin is high end and will fit in nicely to any set.

PCGS# 3982 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+

### LOT 113 5C 1937-D 3 LEGGED. PCGS MS65+ CAC

A truly marvelous example of one of the most famous of all coins in American numismatics! Everyone has heard about the rare 3 Legged Buffalo nickel, a coin that is scarce in all grades, but in GEM Mint State as here, they are incredibly rare!

This is a very high end coin, BOTH technically and in terms of eye appeal; it is truly high end! A brilliant lustrous bloom accents the totally original iridescent champagnegold-peach tones that grace both sides. All of the details are sharply struck.

LRCA is pleased to have been able to offer some of the finest examples to cross the auction block in the last year and half, including 4 MS65+, a PCGS MS66, and the PCGS MS66+ CAC. This one is, simply put, among the best looking of this magnificent trio of GEMS. It truly is that beautiful with only a few tiny ticks that prevent an even higher grade, and is more than worthy of its superlative grade and coveted CAC sticker. This popular variety was created when an employee of the Denver Mint discovered that the dies were seriously clashed. In an effort to remove the clash marks, the inexperienced worker took an emery board and without realizing removed not just the marks, but also removed one of the buffalo's legs.

PCGS 63, NGC 58, CAC 31. There are only nine coins graded MS65+ at PCGS. The most recent example sold in our auctions realized \$43,475 in our November 2018 Regency sale. We sold another in our Regency Auction XXIII (October 2017). The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$41,500 and needless to say, this is extremely rare any finer!

PCGS# 3982 | ESTIMATE: \$28,000+







### **LOT 114** 5C 1938-D BUFFALO. PCGS MS68

Magnifico! WOW! There are high end toned Buffalo nickels, then there is this **BULL MOOSE Buffalo!** 

SUPERB lustrous surfaces blaze brilliantly with an AMAZING vibrance. Both sides are wonderfully toned in awe inspiring rainbow toning that is enlivened by the amazing luster. The strike is fully rendered by a crisp impression from the dies.

PCGS 32, NGC 21. Just 2 graded MS68+ finer at PCGS, and this one is SUPERB, one of the nicest we have ever seen; we are hard pressed to think of an even prettier example. While perhaps not as vivid as the Angel Dee's coin, it is more evenly and gracefully toned. That coin realized \$12,925 in our December 2016 Regency Auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$7,500. Bound for a great herd of toned Buffalo nickels.

PCGS# 3984 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+







This is by far one of the most beautifully toned repunched mintmark 1938-D/S you will ever see. If you liked the one we sold in our September 2018 Regency Auction, you will LOVE this one! Vivid rose-pink and orange tone blends with gold, emerald, and sky blue pastel iridescent toning mixes wonderfully together in a nearly tie-dyed pattern, each hue boldly accented by the superb lustrous surfaces. The strike is bold, and needless to say the eye appeal is easily described as MONSTER!

5C 1938-D/S PCGS MS67+ CAC

PCGS 266, NGC 12, CAC 41. Only 29 coins are graded MS67+ and the most recent to sell in auction was the above cited coin in our September 2018 Regency Auction that realized \$3,878; prior to that, one sold for \$4,080 in June 2018 and one sold for \$3,525 in the 2017 ANA auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$4,650. There is just a single example graded MS68 at PCGS, a coin that PCGS estimates a value of \$35,000! What a gorgeous coin that is truly worthy of a premium bid from the toned Buffalo aficionado. We can see this SUPERB GEM bringing a very strong bid.

PCGS# 3985 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

### 5C 1938-D/D BUFFALO. PCGS MS67+ CAC

A SUPERB example, tied for FINEST graded at PCGS, and this one is exceptionally high end and very appealing. A bold, flawless luster blazes with a strong vibrance on both sides that accents a deeply embossed design. The details are crisply defined, and even the repunched mintmark is visible with the naked eye. A light, delicate iridescent tone can be seen when rotating in a light. An amazing looking coin.

PCGS 161, NGC 203, CAC 24. Only 21 are graded in MS67+ and NONE are finer. The most recent example to sell realized \$5,520 in March 2018. The Angel Dee's coin was sold in our December 2016 Regency Auction for \$2,468 and was NOT CAC. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,650. Worthy of a strong bid from the advanced collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 93984 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

### LOT 117 5C 1914 PCGS PR67+ CAC

WOW, what a spectacular, truly SUPERIOR quality GEM this Matte Proof 1914 is! To use the term "superb" still does not entirely convey the idea of how high end this one is!

Exceptionally clean surfaces show a light touch of pastel iridescent toning that accentuates the sandblast surface and crisply and deeply struck devices. This is clearly ranked among the finest graded 1914 Proof nickels in existence and only a faw are of

existence and only a few are graded finer.





PCGS 106, NGC 66, CAC 56. PCGS has graded 13 in PR67+ and there are only 11 coins graded finer. We sold an example for \$9,106 in our December 2016 Regency Auction and the one before that sold for \$9,400 in July 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$8,000 and keep in mind that a PR68 CAC will cost around \$30,000-\$35,000 (especially for a CAC coin--none have ever sold). Bound for a world class Proof Buffalo nickel set, one of the neatest 20th century short sets to work on!

PCGS# 3991 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+





### LOT 118 5C 1937 PCGS PR66

Amazing, deep, beaming mirrored fields are blinding in their brilliance. The sharply struck devices are nicely frosted and there is almost a cameo contrast between the devices and fields. Were it not for a minor unobtrusive spot on the obverse, this coin would have received a CAC bean. The eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 859, NGC 490. The two most recent example to sell in auction brought \$960 and there are records from the summer 2018 of \$1,265 and \$1,560. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,250 and this one will likely bring around that amount. A nice coin for the set.

PCGS# 3996 | ESTIMATE: \$950+





### LOT 119 5C 1937 PCGS PR67 CAC

Ultra flashy and deep, liquid mercury-like mirrored fields have a bold icy smoothness that makes the sharply struck devices really stand out. The reverse is borderline CAMEO and the eye appeal is truly spectacular for the grade.

PCGS 505, NGC 319, CAC 312. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold in November 2018 for \$1,284. Prior to that, they were selling in the \$1,400-\$1,800 range, and the most recent PCGS/CAC PR67 to sell in a Legend Auction brought \$2,233 in October 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,650. Very scarce any finer, this is a great coin for anyone looking for a Proof type coin or are working on a SUPERB GEM Proof Set of Buffalo nickels.

PCGS# 3996 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+



### LOT 120 H10C 1795 PCGS AU55 CAC

LM-8. A wonderful, original, fully CHOICE AU 1795 half dime. Well struck with a bold, well-centered blow from the dies. There is a delicate sheen on the surfaces that accents the pleasing patina on both sides. The color is a rich cobalt blue at the rims, softening to the centers which is an even slate and dove with light golden hues. This is a very appealing example, a perfect coin for a carefully chosen set of 18th century type coins.

PCGS 46, NGC 23, CAC 12. The most recent CAC-approved example sold for \$8,225 in the 2017 FUN auction, and was NGC-graded. The most recent PCGS/CAC coin to sell via auction realized \$9,988 in the 2014 ANA auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$8,500. This high end coin will entice strong bidding when it crosses the block. If you are looking for a very nice Flowing Hair half dime for your collection, look no further.

PCGS# 4251 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

### LOT 121 H10C 1800 PCGS AU53 CAC

LM-1, V-1a. Deeply and richly toned with a bold, totally original look. Offering a very sharp strike, every detail is fully rendered by a forceful impression from the dies. A later die state with the cud under the 00 of 1800, this lightly circulated coin is visually seductive, we have had a very hard time putting it down. There are few minor, ancient ticks that are unobtrusive and can only be seen with a high powered





glass and don't have any affect on the wonderful eye appeal.

PCGS 15, NGC 5, CAC 4. We sold an example in January 2017 for \$8,225. The current PCGS value is listed at \$9,500. This lovely beauty is worthy of a great collection of early half dimes and we can see it attracting a lot of attention from collectors.

PCGS# 4264 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

### LOT 122 H10C 1833 PCGS MS67 CAC

Having built the Law Set, the #1 all time Bust Half Dime collection, we are highly experienced in how these can come. If you really think hard, how many really nice PCGS CAC MS67 1833's have you ever seen? We sure have not seen many. This coin is absolutely worthy of the finest collection!

Remarkable surfaces are pristine. We used a very strong glass and looked hard all over



and found zero problems of any size. Interestingly, there is a slight trace of semi prooflike mirrors. Amazing and totally original colors of deep blue/aqua blue/auburn/antique white swirl all over. You do not need an imagination or a glass to see the perfection of the strike. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCSG 12, NGC 18, CAC 11. We assume one coin has been submitted several times (possibly this one). There are NO MS68's and only one MS67+. The last PCGS MS67 CAC piece to sell in auction brought \$13,800 in April 2018. We easily get there on this piece. This coin will make a fabulous addition to any GEM Type or Half Dime Collection. Good luck!

PCGS# 4280 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+





### LOT 123

### H10C 1838 NO DRAPERY, LARGE STARS. PCGS MS65 CAC

Well struck and original with a pearly, satin sheen in the fields. A soft, lilac-silver can be seen on the obverse and reverse. The eye appeal is high end for the grade. From the second year of Gobrecht's Seated Liberty motif on the half dime, and it is a wonderful representative of the type.

PCGS 59, NGC 75, CAC 19. The last PCGS/CAC coin sold for \$1,560 in June 2018 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,500. These just seem undervalued. Good luck!

PCGS# 4317 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





### LOT 124

### H10C 1845 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Very high end and very FRESH! A brilliant, silver frost glows with a bold satiny luster. Sharply struck with full definition to the devices. Exceptional in terms of not just technical quality, but the eye appeal of this SUPERB early Seated half dime is excellent.

PCGS 20, NGC 4, CAC 9. Only three MS66+ have been graded at PCGS. The only one to ever sell in auction realized \$1,998 in our May 2018 Regency Auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,200 and note we sold a PCGS MS67 CAC for \$3,740. We love the look of this mint fresh SUPERB GEM and it will be at home in any high end collection.

PCGS# 4335 | ESTIMATE: \$1,900+





### LOT 125 H10C 1853 ARROWS. PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is a marvelous SUPERB GEM; really, everything about it is high end and very attractive. A subtly reflective and brilliantly flashy luster radiates in the smooth, essentially pristine surfaces. Sharply struck devices do stand out with a crisp definition imparted by an exacting blow from the dies. The impressive quality is accentuated by a totally original iridescent toning on both sides that really adds to the remarkable eye appeal. One of the better examples we have seen in quite some time, this short lived sub-type will entice even the most jaded half dime collector.

PCGS 56, NGC 44, CAC 14. PCGS has graded 15 in MS66+. The only CAC approved MS66+ was the NGC-graded coin from the Highland Collection that has appeared in several auctions since it first sold in 2015 for \$3,966. Keep in mind that in MS67, the last two CAC coins sold for \$18,800! This PCGS MS66+ CAC really presents a great opportunity for the collector to get a great coin without spending high four or low five figures!

PCGS# 4356 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+

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### **LOT 126**

### 10C 1798/7 16 STARS REVERSE. PCGS MS64

JR-1. This is truly a very CHOICE Mint State Bust dime. This coin has a few traits that make it especially interesting. First it is the first of two die marriages that features this overdate obverse, this one, paired with the 16 Star reverse is the only die engraved by John Gardner, and not Robert Scot, and it was also employed to strike 1797 BD-1 quarter eagles.

The present coin has a vibrant, brilliant luster that is boldly retained under light pewter-silver in the centers with a delicate rose overlay and deeper slate-blue at the peripheries. Rather crisply struck from clashed, lapped, and damaged dies, you can see all forms of interesting die characteristics throughout the obverse, including a line that starts at star 3, is interrupted by the bust, and then picks up again at Liberty's nose, before terminating at star 9. This is listed in the JR reference as being from an early strike, this feature later wears away and is not seen on most specimens. The eye appeal is wonderful for any early dime, and especially so for a 1798.

PCGS 9, NGC 3. The most recent example to sell was from a later die state, without the die scratch, but with distracting, splotchy toning on the obverse, which sold for \$19,975 in the 2017 ANA auction. In looking at previous auction records, we cannot find this coin having previously sold in auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value lists a value of \$32,500. We are pleased to present this probable Condition Census piece and we know it will see strong collector interest when it crosses the block. Good luck!

PCGS# 4468 | ESTIMATE: \$25,000+



### LOT 127 10C 1807 PCGS AU58 FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.





JR-1. A great representative of this final year of issue of the Draped Bust dime, that displays only the slightest friction and is nearly full Mint State. Well struck in the centers but some light weakness is noted at the rims. Untoned silver centers and rich blue-slate toning at the rims are suggestive of old album storage.

A lovely type coin.

PCGS 31, NGC 35. The last two PCGS coins to sell were CAC approved and sold over three years ago, the most recent in October 2015 for \$6,463. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$5,750 and the eye appeal of this coin may well bring it to a higher bid than that.

LOT 128 10C 1807 PCGS MS63+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

JR-1, the only variety for the date. This is an amazing example of this final example of Robert Scot's Draped Bust design type.

The first trait you are confronted with is the superb eye appeal. A glowing, underlying mint luster blooms with a vivid brilliance under the delicately dusted, pastel-iridescent toned surfaces. Shades of rose-gold, amber-lilac, dove, sky blue, and olive-tan





PCGS# 4480 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

toning. The devices are very well struck for the type and the eye appeal is without a doubt highly memorable!

PCGS 34, NGC 25, CAC 8. This is the ONLY MS63+ graded by either service. RARE any finer! This is the first time this beautifully CHOICE Bust dime is making an auction appearance, and we know it will excite any collector of early dimes or type coins. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$12,500, and with NO CAC-approved MS63s ever having sold, and the only PCGS MS64 CAC to sell brought nearly \$20,000 in 2011, that level may be too low in today's market. Good luck!

PCGS# 4480 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





### LOT 129 10C 1823/2 SMALL E'S. PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

JR-1. All 1823 dimes are overdates, this is the only variety with the small E's in the legend on the reverse. This lovely AU58 has a nearly complete luster with ample prooflike flash in the fields. Mostly untoned, this coin has a fantastic look and should sell for a strong bid.

PCGS 10, NGC 1, CAC 5. The last one to sell in auction was in our May 2016 Regency Auction XVII, that realized \$2,233. The current Price Guide value is \$1,850. These rarely appear in auction and this coin will see very active bidding.

PCGS# 4498 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+

### LOT 130 10C 1838 NO DRAPERY, LARGE STARS. PCGS MS67 CAC

A truly remarkable, SUPERB GEM. Brilliant satiny white surfaces gleam as they did 170 years ago when this coin came off the dies. Every detail is fully rendered from an exacting blow from the dies. Each line in Liberty's hair and gown, every line in the shield, all of her fingers are fully struck, rounded, and boldly visible; standing out in vivid, bold relief. The obverse die was shattered when this coin was struck with a major die crack that crosses the entire obverse. The reverse was clashed when this coin was struck. The luster is bold and frosty with a gorgeous satin glow imparting an amazing eye appeal that cannot be beat. It is no question that this coin deserves to be tied for FINEST graded at PCGS.

PCGS 3, NGC 8, CAC 2. The toned Pogue coin sold for \$23,500 in March 2017, and the Pogue Family paid a record \$43,125 for it in July 2008. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$27,500 and this coin should bring a strong bid from type or Seated Liberty dime collectors.

PCGS# 4568 | ESTIMATE: \$24,000+



### **LOT 131**

### 10C 1866 PCGS MS64+ CAC

One of the finest graded Mint State 1866 dimes. Only 8,000 were struck, as such these started out rare. This one is among the top dozen examples graded by PCGS.

Soft underlying pearly luster brings out original, warm olive, lilac, and gold hues. Sharply struck, clean, and about full GEM quality with superb eye appeal.

PCGS 11, NGC 5, CAC 2. The only recent comparable piece to sell was a blast white, brilliantly semi-PL, and less well

struck NGC MS64+ that sold for \$2,880 in February 2018. No PCGS MS64 or MS65 examples have sold since 2011 or 2010 respectively. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at 3,300 and we can see this coin bringing a very strong price from the specialist collector.









10C 1857 PCGS PR66+ CAC
WOW! What an AMAZING
looking SUPERB GEM example
of this important early Seated
dime. Any Proof coin minted
prior to 1858, when the mint
began striking proof singles and
sets for the general public, is
a low mintage rarity. Only 70
Proofs were struck in Proof in
1857 and LRCA is proud to offer
this coin, one of the FINEST
surviving examples regardless of
contrast designation.

When we first looked at this beauty, we noted the strong

obverse contrast. The mirrors are wonderfully deep and beaming and below the eye arresting mottled, multicolored toning, have exceptional clarity and cleanliness. Ms. Liberty is fully rendered and boldly frosted from an exacting blow from the dies. They are also mostly untoned, so they do stand out vividly from the surrounding mirrored fields. The toning on the obverse is a wonderful blend of gold, apricot, blue, and orange. that blend with an almost pointillist pattern. The reverse boasts similar hues, in a slightly different pattern.

The eye appeal truly is marvelous and unique, simply SUPERB in every way.

PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 5. This is the ONLY PR66+ graded at either service, and PCGS has graded two finer in the non-CAM designation, neither of which have gotten CAC approval. We cannot trace this coin's previous appearance in auction and it is likely fresh to the market.

This SUPERB GEM will delight any collector. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$13,500. This coin will see strong bidding from Seated Dime, Type, and collectors of very RARE coins.

### LOT 133

### 10C 1892 PCGS MS66+ CAC

A brilliant satin glow comes through the wonderful, original pastel iridescent toning. Sharply struck, this coin possesses the look of an even higher grade.

PCGS 114, NGC 59, CAC 45. There are only 19 coins graded MS66+ at PCGS, none at NGC. While the Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,050, the most recent PCGS/CAC coin sold for \$1,293 in the 2017 ANA auction. An MS67 is worth more than triple! What a great coin for any serious Barber dime collector!

PCGS# 4796 | ESTIMATE: \$1,100+







### LOT 134 10C 1898-O PCGS MS65 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Despite a generous mintage of over 2 million coins, this date is very RARE in GEM and finer grades. This MS65 is among the 20 finest graded by PCGS.

Frosty mint luster blooms all over with a strong radiance in the fields. The details are razor sharp in definition. A dusting of light toning at the date adds to the visual allure. Premium quality in every sense.



PCGS 9, NGC 16, CAC 6. This is the coin that sold in the 2015 FUN auction for \$3,760; all four PCGS/CAC coins have sold in the \$3,200 to \$4,000 range and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500. VERY RARE any finer, the most recent MS66 sold in April 2015 for \$5,640, and the current Price Guide value is listed at \$7,150. A great coin for any collector of GEM Barber dimes.

PCGS# 4816 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





LOT 135 10C 1901 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

A magnificent and totally original, SUPERB GEM! This coin is exceptional with a strong luster and rich teal and emerald toning on the obverse which wraps to the reverse periphery and the central reverse is toned in a tangerine-amber. Sharply struck, this beauty is worthy of an amazing collection of Barber dimes.

PCGS 16, NGC 7, CAC 14. Ignore the recent APRs, and note that this beautiful SUPERB GEM sold for \$1,295 in the May 2009

auction of the Mark Miller Registry Set of Barber Dimes. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,150 and only 17 coins are graded finer.

PCGS# 4824 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

### LOT 136 10C 1910 PCGS MS67 CAC

Blast white with a bold, frosty look. Rich, satiny luster blooms on both sides of this untoned SUPERB GEM that has the look of a coin that just now came off the dies.

PCGS 14, NGC 4, CAC 9. The last one to sell realized \$4,465 back in November 2016. NON CAC coins have sold for less, thus the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,750. Seems very reasonable for a coin in this lofty state of preservation.

PCGS# 4854 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+







# ONEDIME

### LOT 137 10C 1898 PCGS PR68DCAM CAC

One word sums up this coin: UNBELIVABLE! This coin is the total epitome of a Proof Barber Dime. We doubt you will ever see a finer DCameo PR Barber 10C.

Out of this world mirrors are miles deep and beam from all over. The clarity and cleanliness are perfect and defies any other PR68's we have ever seen. When you twirl this crazy coin, you see intense glass like mirrors. There is not a single speck of toning. The contrast is as black and white as you can imagine. Of course Miss Liberty and every detail are thickly frosted and are fully struck. The eye appeal will blow you away-it is that powerful!

ONLY 735 were minted. PCGS 4, NGC 5, CAC 5. The last one of these to sell in auction brought \$18,800 in March 2017. The current Collectors Universe value is \$20,000. We expect this coin to sell for more then that. This is not just a prize for any PR Barber 10C collector-it's a huge trophy!

Good luck!

PCGS# 94882 | ESTIMATE: \$20,000+





### LOT 138 10C 1905 PCGS PR65 CAC EX ELIASBERG

FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION. Housed in an old green tag holder, this impressive GEM 1905 dime was described in the May 1996 Eliasberg sale as having: "Pale golden toning in the central areas changes to pale electric blue at the borders." To that we add that the mirrors are bold and highly reflective with a pleasant watery texture. What a great provenance which will add allure to this already visually alluring GEM. Only 727 Proofs were struck. J.M. Clapp purchased this dime directly from the mint in December 1905; Clapp Estate, en bloc to Eliasberg, via Stack's in 1942. Bowers & Merena's May 1996 Eliasberg Collection sale, lot 1280.

PCGS 42, NGC 40, CAC 7. These do not appear with much frequency; the most recent realizing \$901 in May 2017 in an internet only sale. The last one to sell in a major sale (July 2016) realized \$999 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$1,000. As you know the Eliasberg Collection is one of the greatest ever assembled, and to have a very attractive, affordable coin from that famed cabinet will delight any collector.

PCGS# 4889 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





LOT 140 10C 1949-S PCGS MS67+ FT

A glorious SUPERB GEM that is tied for FINEST graded at PCGS. Beautiful rainbow toning at the peripheries surrounding essentially PERFECT silver at the centers. Sharply struck and among the most beautiful 49-S dimes we have ever seen. Clearly this amazing dime was stored in an old album where it was able to gain exceptional color.

PCGS 10, NGC 1. The last PCGS MS67+ to sell in auction realized \$2,703 in our October 2017 Regency Auction. More recently a non-"+" MS67 sold in the ANA auction for \$3,720. This coin will likely shatter any previous price record for the date, and will be a prize in any AMAZING set of Roosevelt dimes.

PCGS# 85093 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





LOT 139 10C 1936-D PCGS MS67+ CAC

Here is an impressive SUPERB GEM that is tied for FINEST graded in the non-FB designation. Wonderfully toned with deep, original shades of gorgeous autumnal colors, the eye appeal is further enhanced by a brilliant satiny luster. Well struck the central band is nearly fully split.

PCGS 17, NGC 18, CAC 6. There are 3 in MS67+ and none finer. The last regular MS67 sold over six years ago, and its record is irrelevant. The current Collector's Universe value of \$800 does not take into account the SUPERB eye appeal, this coin will bring more!

PCGS# 5000 | ESTIMATE: \$800+





LOT 141 20C 1875 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SANDHILLS COLLECTION

Even though this is not a gaga MS66/67 it is neat enough to be kept on this catalogers desk every day so far. The quality is HIGH END.

Moderate semi prooflike mirrors beam pretty strong all over. The mirrors actually have excellent clarity. No imagination need to see the mirrors. You can see a few light lines and a few thin Mint grease lines too. There are no serious or large disturbances to be found. Both sides are a creamy white with hints of gold by the rims. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and are fully struck. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 66, NGC 47, CAC 12. NONE have been sold at auction since 2013-that is 5 forever years ago. The current Collectors Universe Value is \$1,650-which is absurdly low. In our very strong opinion, a coin looking like this should be worth \$3,000.00+++ easily. Do not be fooled by the pops, these are impossible to find in this state of preservation.

PCGS# 5296 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+

### LOT 142 25C 1818 PCGS AU58 CAC

FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

B-4. This is a very attractive and very high end AU58 1818 quarter. This coin is extremely close to a full Mint State grade, and the eye appeal is likely finer than many lower-grade Mint State coins.

With just a touch of high point friction, this coin has a wealth of mint luster under a layer of rich slate-blue, olive-gold, and russet-tan toning. The eye appeal is very nice and this coin is totally original.





PCGS 39, NGC 32, CAC 9. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$4,700 in the 2015 FUN auction. More recently a non-CAC example sold in the 2017 ANA auction for \$5,405. This coin is bound to fetch in excess of the \$4,250 value in the PCGS Price Guide. As expected, this type is very scarce in Mint State, and having a look like this, we know this coin will attract strong bidding.

PCGS# 5322 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





### LOT 143 25C 1835 PCGS MS64 CAC

This is a totally original, very pleasing, Condition Census level B-2, ranking near the top of the Rea, et al, and at the top of the Thompkins Census listings.

The obverse is awash in a dappled olive, tan, russet, and slate blend that is accented by a satiny luster.

The reverse is more evenly toned with warm, dove-gray and olive-russet at the rims. Both sides are nicely struck up with essentially full, crisp details. The eye appeal is very pleasing.

PCGS 14, NGC 17, CAC 6. The most recent (and only) example to sell in auction with CAC approval brought \$7,638 in March 2016.

The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$7,000 but a CAC-approved, totally original example should sell for more than that today. RARE any finer, with just 2 in 64+, 2 in 65, 3 in 66, and 1 in 66+ finer. Anything finer will approach or be in the five figure price range, making this a great coin for any type or date set collectors of more modest means. Good luck!

## LOT 144 25C 1853 ARROWS AND RAYS. MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This near-GEM is essentially a twin to the one that we sold in our April 2018 Premier Sessions auction, which we described as: "An always popular type coin, the Arrows and Rays type was struck in 1853 only. The presently offered coin has a rich satin sheen that shows off well struck devices and a pearly, gold-accentuated toning. Every detail is nicely formed and fully defined. For the assigned grade, this coin's eye appeal is superb!"





PCGS# 5354 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+

PCGS 191, NGC 159, CAC 31. The coin we sold realized \$3,520 and prior to that, one sold for \$3,360 in November 2017. This type is RARE any finer, so we think there is a lot of duplication in the Population Report, as the same coin gets cracked out and resubmitted in hopes of a 64+ or 65 grade. A great coin for any type set, or complete set of Seated Liberty quarters!

PCGS# 5426 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

### LOT 145

### 25C 1858 FS-901. REVERSE DIE CLASH. PCGS AU58

This is a truly UNIQUE opportunity to obtain one of the more interesting varieties we have had the pleasure of offering. Recently the subject of an article in the Numismatist documenting its discovery.

At first glance you might ask why the fuss, this is just a normal AU58 1858 quarter; but take a look closely in the reverse, and you see the details of the reverse of a Flying Eagle cent. While this type of clash is known on several 1857 quarters, it is unique on an 1858. The coin itself is just lightly circulated with a rich silver-gray patina and light blues and golds around the peripheries. Sharply struck and very eye appealing, what makes this coin very important to collectors is its status as a currently UNIQUE variety and we are honored to offer it for the first time ever.

Clearly the reverse die was about to be retired, the die is crumbling at the rims and some mint employee chose to clash the reverse die with that of a Flying Eagle cent. The quarter die had to have been close to the end of its life, otherwise the employee would have wasted a perfectly good die (to get such bold clashing the die would have been badly damaged and too many coins produced from this die would have resulted in potentially being caught). Perhaps only this one coin was produced; 160 years since it was struck this is the ONLY example to have ever been discovered. It is interesting that this coin was just discovered in a small accumulation purchased in a California coin shop. Once the clash was discovered, the coin was shown to noted authorities John Dannreuther, Fred Weinberg, and Bill Fivaz (who assigned it the FS-901 reference number). Once these three experts gave the coin the opinion, PCGS graded the coin AU58.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. This is a totally UNIQUE example of this variety and due to create quite the buzz when word gets out that it is being offered in this Regency Auction. We are proud to have been selected to offer this important Seated Quarter rarity and we believe that it will bring a very strong price when it crosses the block. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity for the advanced collector of Seated quarters. Good luck!

PCGS# 631695 | ESTIMATE: \$8,500+











LOT 146 25C 1889 PCGS MS67 CAC

A very high end example, with just seven coins graded finer at PCGS

Vibrantly lustrous surfaces dramatically swirl all over on both sides. This coin is ultra ORIGINAL. Jade green toning clings to the peripheral devices with copper and icy blue iridescent toning dominating the central areas. The eye appeal is further enhanced by a sharp strike which left the sharply embossed devices fully frosted. The eye appeal is SUPERB in every way!

PCGS 25, NGC 24, CAC 16. The last one to sell realized \$4,583 in March 2015 and prior to that, one sold in June 2014 for \$5,434. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$5,500. There are only seven graded finer, and this amazing coin is worthy of a strong bid!

PCGS# 5522 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





LOT 147 25C 1901-O PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Usually taking a backseat to its San Francisco counterpart, the 01-O quarter is a conditionally RARE date. Indeed, PCGS has graded fewer in GEM and finer grades for the 1901-O than the 1901-S. This borderline GEM is very attractive and has a great, original look. Boldly lustrous surfaces amplify the gentile dappling of tone on both sides. Sharply struck up, the details show a bold definition throughout. The surfaces show only a few microscopic ticks and marks, but the eye appeal is very high end for the grade.

PCGS 14, NGC 5, CAC 5. The last one to sell realized \$3,819 in October 2014, and prior to that, one sold in October 2012 for \$4,700. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,750 and the value nearly doubles to \$7,250 in MS65. This is a very CHOICE example for the collector of Barber quarters.

PCGS# 5629 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+



A marvelous SUPERB GEM from one of the more famous sets of Barber quarters ever assembled. It is not a shock as to why it has now been in two GREAT collections--it is THAT high end!

The toning on both sides is a marvel to behold! Clearly this coin sat for ages wrapped in tissue and then placed into an old collector envelope. You can see



the tiny folds from the tissue impressed in the toning as subtle breaks in the color. Coppery-orange-rose color blends with a slate-blue, icy lilac, and rosy-pewter. The hues are vividly brought to life by a strong satin-like mint frost that glows from below the color. Even using a strong glass, we are unable to locate a single flaw or any area of striking weakness. You cannot beat the eye appeal!

PCGS 5, NGC 2, CAC 8. Clearly there is duplication in the CAC populations. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$9,988 in our Regency Auction 25, which was the former Gene Gardner coin. A single MS67+ is graded finer. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$10,000 and in 67+ the CU value is listed at \$15,000. We can understand if this SUPERB coin brought a RECORD price!

PCGS# 5647 | ESTIMATE: \$8,500+

### LOT 149 25C 1909-S PCGS MS67 CAC

Stunning! Wow! Tied for the FINEST graded at either service and there is no question to its high end visual allure! A bold, brilliant mint bloom glows from below a dusting of pastel blue, violet, and pale greenish hues that are evenly distributed across the surfaces. The details are sharply struck and the surfaces are satiny smooth and the eye appeal is imposing!

PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 3. The only CAC approved example to sell in auction realized \$12,925 in May 2015 and before that a



PCGS coin sold for \$18,400 in the 2010 FUN auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$12,500. If you demand the best THIS IS the BEST; there are NONE FINER!

PCGS# 5656 | ESTIMATE: \$9,500+









LOT 150 25C 1911 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

What an impressive GEM! Honestly, twirling this PQ example in the light, it is hard to imagine that it did not just come off the dies. Brilliant, satiny fields show a bold whirling luster that amplifies the frostiness of the sharply struck devices. Untoned on both sides, the luster is fresh as the day it was minted!

PCGS 17, NGC 7, CAC 9. There are 19 coins finer, the vast majority are graded 66+ and we believe they represent multiple submissions of the same coin in hopes of attaining a 67 grade. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold for \$3,819 in September 2013; the last time this GEM sold was in September 2009, where it realized \$2,185--but it has a record of \$4,025 back in July 2006. You can go ahead and ignore the price guide values for sure. A great looking GEM like this will fit perfectly in ANY high end Registry set.

PCGS# 5659 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

LOT 151
25C 1894 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Deep, beaming, vivid mirrors have a bold reflection in the fields, contrasting against the fully frosted devices. The contrast between the fields and devices is extremely bold, bordering on the DCAM designation. Both sides are totally untoned and are the epitome of what a GEM Proof of this type should be!

Only 972 Proofs were struck. PCGS 19, NGC 10, CAC 15. Only seven coin are graded finer by PCGS in the CAM designation. The most recent example sold in our January 2018 Regency Auction for \$2,585 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,750. The only PCGS/CAC PR67 CAM to ever sell in auction realized into the five figures, back in June 2011! This is a very important opportunity for the advanced Barber quarter collector, do not let it pass you by!

PCGS# 85680 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





LOT 152 25C 1905 PCGS PR66 CAC

A very old friend to our sister company Legend Numismatics. Legend last owned this coin in 2012.

Deep mirrors beam boldly from all over. The mirrors have intense clarity and are super clean. The obverse has monster crazy "oil slick" type original colors. Every time you twirl this coin the liquid moving mirrors bring out even more colors on the obverse only. Looking dead on, you do see some spectacular sights! Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and even have light frost. The eye appeal is wicked awesome!

Only 727 minted. PCGS 33, NGC 37, CAC 17. This coin has nothing to do with the current Collectors Universe Value of \$1,850.00. We estimate a coin like this with gaga colors to always bring far more.

PCGS# 5691 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





LOT 153 25C 1912 PCGS PR65 GOLD CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

WOW! If all PR65 Barber quarters looked like this, the series would be so heavily collected we would no longer discuss the great value these coins present! It really is a shame that there are so many coins that DO NOT look like this! Intense, deep, flashing mirrors beam from all over. Blazing golden iridescent toning is brought to a strong vivacity on both sides giving this PQ GEM a fantastic look! We have seen coins graded PR66 and finer that do not have the amazing eye appeal and technical qualities this first generation holdered GEM does.

Only 700 proofs were struck. PCGS 38, NGC 36, CAC 7. This is the ONLY GOLD CAC sticker for any 12 quarter of any issue. Worthy of a bid commensurate with a PR66, which the last one sold for \$2,040 in February 2018. We expect this bold GEM to bring lots of bidding attention from collectors of beautiful Barber quarter Proofs.

PCGS# 5698 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+

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### LOT 154 25C 1918/7-S PCGS MS63

One of the popular 20th century rarities, the 18/7-S quarter has been actively sought since it was publicly recognized in the late 1930s. By that time, most examples had entered circulation and Mint State coins are quite rare.

The present coin has a warm, glowing mint frost on both sides. The head, shield, and eagle's chest feathers do show typical striking weakness. The eye appeal is very pleasing for a coin of this variety and grade.

PCGS 29, NGC 6. The most recent PCGS MS63 to sell was from the John Whitney Walter Collection, a non-CAC coin that brought a very strong realization of \$38,400 in the 2018 ANA auction. The D.L. Hansen duplicate sold in April 2018 for \$21,625 and this one brought \$23,500 back in the 2017 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$27,500. This will be a prized coin in a CHOICE Mint State Standing Liberty quarter collection and we can see strong bidding for this one when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 5726 | ESTIMATE: \$22,000+







### LOT 155 25C 1923 PCGS MS66 FH

Here is a very pleasing example of this scarcer date Full Head Standing Liberty quarter. Frosty satin luster blooms in the fields around sharply struck devices. There is a light, pearly silver hue with icy blue pastel overtones dusted on the GEM quality surfaces. The eye appeal is nice indeed.

PCGS 36, NGC 13. Non-CAC PCGS-graded examples have sold in the general \$3,000-\$4,000 range and the current PCGS value is listed at \$4,750. RARE any finer, just 14 coins have been graded higher at PCGS in the FH designation.

PCGS# 5743 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





### LOT 156 25C 1939 PCGS MS68

Blast white and virtually perfect quality for any Set Registry collector who desires a stunning example of this date. The luster is powerful and Mint fresh, with just a few hints of toning to attest to the bold originality of this majestic coin. The strike is bold, and the surfaces are free of bagmarks. A strong loupe finds that Washington is super clean, as is the eagle, right to the top of its breast, where the luster is unbroken and unmarred. This is quite unusual for a Washington Quarter of this era as these were packed in bags and rolls, where the coins had multiple opportunities to jostle about, incurring tiny nicks that drag down the majority into lower grades. Here is one that stands tall, one that is tied with a few others as the absolute FINEST known!

PCGS 17, NGC 6. The last auction appearances for a non-CAC PCGS coin was back in 2014, where one sold for \$3,819. CAC-approved coins have sold in the \$4,600-\$5,750 range and this coin, despite not being CAC-approved should bring a premium bid thanks to is SUPERB eye appeal.

PCGS# 5808 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+

### LOT 157 25C 1966 PCGS MS68

Ranking at the apex of the Population Report, this MS68 quarter is tied for FINEST with just a single coin.

Both sides have a satiny brilliant sheen, the fields are frosty and gorgeously toned. Rainbow bands at the peripheries frame the icy, periwinkle-teal iridescent centers. Generally well struck throughout. A very powerful loupe does reveal a few tiny marks, mostly hidden by the wonderful toning, and do not detract from the great eye





appeal. As a contender for FINEST KNOWN, this beauty will fit into any upper tier PCGS Registry Set.

PCGS 2, NGC 7. Neither PCGS coin has sold in auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$15,000. A similarly rare issue is the MS68 1967 (Pop: 1/0) which sold for \$8,813 in January 2017 or the 1968 MS68 (Pop: 7/0), which realized \$9,400 in September 2013. A perfect example for a #1 PCGS set. Good luck!

PCGS# 5879 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+



LOT 158 50C 1806 POINTED 6, STEM PCGS AU 53 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

O-115a. This is an ideal coin for an AU early type set! Gorgeously toned and very high end, this coin has the look of a higher grade. Rich peripheral blue-green blends to a rosy-pinkish hue over lustrous silvery centers. The surfaces have a wonderful satiny smooth texture and bold underlying luster. The eye appeal is stunning for the date and grade!

PCGS 44, NGC 40, CAC 12. This coin sold for \$7,638 in the 2014 ANA auction, and the most recent sold in June 2016 for \$5,053; that coin, like this one was high end and very attractive. An important opportunity for the advanced early type set collector to get one of the prettiest and most memorable 1806 halves in AU we have seen recently. Good luck!

PCGS# 6071 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





LOT 159 50C 1812 O-107. PCGS MS62 EX LINK

What a very pleasing BU Bust half dollar! A full mint luster rolls with a bold satiny vibrance in the fields on both obverse and reverse. The devices are crisply struck up and show only the slightest touch of softness on some of the feathers and star centers. There are a few minor scuffs and ticks, but they do not detract from the overall eye appeal of this early half.

PCGS 41, NGC 45. The three most recent 1812 halves in PCGS MS62 sold from \$2,160 to \$3,360 in 2018 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,400. Mint State examples are scarce, do not let the Population figures fool you, and if you need an example for your type set, take a look at this one!

PCGS# 39452 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





### **LOT 160** 50C 1815/2 PCGS AU55 CAC

O-101, the only die marriage used to strike all 47,150 half dollars. The story of this KEY issue has been told many times. The mint repurposed an old 1812 die, where the 5 was punched over the 2, creating the overdate. The entire mintage was delivered to the mint treasurer on January 10, 1816. Literally hours later, the building that housed the milling equipment (used to produce and roll out gold and silver planchet stock) caught fire and burned to the ground. Silver coinage did not resume until 1817 and gold coins were not struck again until 1818. The presently offered

example is totally original and very eye appealing. Offering a "dusty" olive tan patina with more "crusty" lilac-dove tone. As you rotate this very CHOICE AU 1815 half dollar subtle tinges of apricot-gold come out adding depth and dimension to the great eye appeal. Well struck, the dies were gently clashed, you can see some evidence of LIBERTY in the shield stripes. Only the lightest touch of friction can be seen anywhere on this beauty. Very high end and eye appealing for the assigned grade.

PCGS 26, NGC18, CAC 4. This is not the example that sold in Sheridan Downey's August 2017 Mail Bid Sale at \$20,680 which was the most recent example to sell. Prior to that, there are APRs for one at \$12,925 in the 2017 FUN auction. The Hamilton Collection NGC gold CAC sticker at \$34.075 in the 2016 ANA sale, and one in the 2015 FUN for \$16.450. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$16,500. A coin this delightfully original and high end will see very spirited bidding from all over the Capped Bust half dollar universe! Because of its KEY date status, the 1815/2 is in demand from collectors in all grades. We expect strong bidding for this beauty when it crosses the block!

PCGS# 6108 | ESTIMATE: \$12,500+





### LOT 161 50C 1823 BROKEN 3. PCGS MS62

O-101. WOW is this a RARE and underrated REDBOOK variety in MINT STATE! Clearly this coin is a real prize for the advanced Bust half collector!

Frosty, lustrous surfaces have a wonderful underlying glow in the delicately toned surfaces. Nicely struck throughout, there is just a hint of natural weakness in the central portions of the design types. We note only a few stray scuffs, but none that are distracting to the design type. The surfaces

are enhanced by a touch of the lightest gold and pewter tones.

The Broken 3 is really the early die state of O-101. This is one of the few occasions that a die state represents an entirely separate listing in the Guide Book. The punch used to engrave the date was poorly produced, with the point where the two loops of the 3 separated at an odd angle. It was once theorized by Al Overton that a "lower half of a 2 was removed, and the lower half of [a] 3 cut in its place." As more numismatic scholars have researched the process, the understanding of how this variety was created has changed. Note that early on in production, the 3 was "Patched" and the O-101a Patched 3 variety (see next lot) was created.

PCGS 3, NGC 0. There has never been a Mint State coin lower than MS64 graded by PCGS to sell in auction. The NGC records are all over a dozen years old and are irrelevant entirely. A non-CAC AU58 sold in the 2017 ANA for \$7,638 and we sold the PCGS MS64 CAC Green-Newman-Konstantine Collection coin in September 2018 for \$38,775. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$12,500; only time will tell if that number is accurate! Good luck!

PCGS# 6132 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+





LOT 162 50C 1823 PCGS MS 63+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

O-103. This is a very high end and lustrous example of this variety, just shy of the condition census. Sharply struck devices stand out against the fields that show a hint of flashy PL reflection, especially on the reverse. A few light scattered ticks can be seen with a strong glass, but none are distracting from the superb eye appeal.

PCGS 74, NGC 43, CAC 13. This is the ONLY MS63+ of the date graded. The last regular MS63 to sell with CAC approval realized \$3,000 in December 2017. In MS63+, the Collector's Universe value is listed at \$4,150. Like all Bust halves, this date is scarce any finer and RARE in GEM. A great example for the date or type.





LOT 163 50C 1830 O-119 MEDIUM 0. PCGS MS61

A nicely toned Mint State 1830 half dollar. Bluntly struck in the centers from a clashed state of the dies. The centers are brilliant - the result of an ancient light dipping. Recovering nicely from that old dipping, accents of blue, rose, and gold form a halo around the obverse rim.

PCGS 4, NGC 0. The last one to sell in auction realized \$1,320 in August 2018 and prior to that one sold in November 2011 for \$1,121. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,350. This is a very pleasing BU Bust half that will fit nicely into any date or type set.

PCGS# 39830 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

PCGS# 6131 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

### LOT 164 50C 1853 ARROWS AND RAYS, PCGS MS64 CAC

Wonderfully original and high end. This well struck Arrows and Rays half dollar is essentially of GEM quality with a pearly satiny luster that glows from under a a mix of champagnepeach, olive, russet, and tan-gold with hints of very subtle icy blue in areas. Sharply struck throughout, the devices are nice and crisply defined. The eye appeal is great.



A one year only type coin and as such a must for a complete type

collection of half dollars. The mint added the Arrows and Rays to the design to indicate that the weight was reduced in response to the huge quantities of gold flooding the economy from the gold fields in California.

PCGS 217, NGC 75, CAC 31. The last one to sell in auction brought \$8,400 in a June 2018 auction, an outlier result. The other two more recent PCGS/CAC coins were back in 2016 where one sold for \$5,640 in the ANA auction, and the other brought \$5,875 in our Regency Auction 17. The PCGS Price Guide is \$4,700. Demand for one year only type coins is always strong from collectors, especially when the coin is high end and attractive.

PCGS# 6275 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+



### LOT 165 50C 1854-O ARROWS. PCGS MS65+ CAC

High end, beautiful, lustrous, and original: these just a few words that come to mind when we view this awesome Seated half dollar.

Rich sunset toning shows shades of crimson, gold, amber, and tangerine that blend marvelously together over the satiny lustrous surfaces. There are a few deeper toning dots on the reverse. The devices are sharply struck and are fully frosted, they stand out against the ultra smooth problem free surfaces. The eye appeal is very bold.

PCGS 19, NGC 12, CAC 10. This is the ONLY MS65+ graded at either service. Two regular MS65 PCGS/CAC coins sold in 2018 for \$6,600 and \$7,800. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$11,500. The most recent MS66 PCGS/CAC to sell in auction brought \$25,850 back in July 2013. As a type coin or for inclusion in a very high end set of Seated halves.

PCGS# 6108 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





LOT 166 50C 1878 PCGS PR66 CAM

Bold, beaming, and brilliant! Everything about this GEM stands out with exceptional vibrance to the highly reflective mirrors and bold contrasting devices. The fully struck and fully frosted devices stand out in bold relief to the shimmering silver mirrors that have the epitome of clarity and flash. Mostly untoned, there is just the ever so slight touch of the clearest gold. The eye appeal is very nice, and there are no flaws worthy of mention on either side.

Only 800 were struck. PCGS 6, NGC 8. This was the last non-CAC approved coin to sell in auction, realizing \$6,756 in September 2017. The current PCGS Price is \$6,750. Only three coins are graded higher in the CAM designation at PCGS, one in 66+ and one 68. Anything finer will cost much more, making this a great coin for the collector of high grade Proof Seated halves.

PCGS# 86439 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+





LOT 168 50C 1890 NGC PR65 CAC

This is a truly beautiful GEM Proof Seated half dollar. Housed in an NGC "fatty" holder, this coin has a great melange of blues, violets, reds, and golds that are exquisitely enveloped around the highly reflective, deeply mirrored fields. The reverse has a darker blend of the same hues, clearly that side was sitting for ages undisturbed on the velvet or paper lined tray. The obverse devices are fully frosted and if taken on its own, the obverse is a borderline CAMEO. A few minor, ancient hairlines are intermixed with die polish lines in the obverse fields, and buried under the toning, they are invisible to the naked eye.

Only 590 were struck. PCGS 18, NGC 30, CAC 9. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,750 and the most recent NGC/CAC coin to sell in auction realized \$2,820 in June 2016 and it did not have the wonderful eye appeal that the presently offered GEM does. This is a coin worthy of a top toned collection of Proof halves.

PCGS# 6451 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





### LOT 167 50C 1882 NGC PR65 ULTRA CAMEO

This is a very high quality GEM. Having studied it with a strong glass, we have no idea why it did not cross (we did submit it for the consignor one time) and why it did not sticker at CAC. Rest assured, despite that, this is an LRCA quality coin!

Boldly reflective mirrors shimmer and beam from all over with ultra deep clarity and cleanliness. The razor sharp devices are fully frosted and stand out dramatically from the wonderfully reflective fields. Mostly untoned, the fields are framed by just the most subtle of golden halos. Again, this coin's quality is really all there and then some.

PCGS 4, NGC 3. It has been nearly a decade since the last NGC PR65 UCAM sold in auction when one sold in an online auction in June 2009. More recently a non-CAC PCGS example realized \$4,935 in March 2016. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$6,000 and we believe this coin will bring a premium bid commensurate with its quality.

PCGS# 96443 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

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### LOT 169 50C 1893-O PCGS MS66 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

### EX SHIREMAN

One of the FINEST certified examples of this date, tied at the TOP of the POP! Wonderful, dappled, multicolored toning in shades of blue, gold, amber, and crimson throughout which is highlighted by a vibrant, satiny luster. The eye appeal is exceptional in every way.



### PCGS 5, NGC 1. NONE ARE

GRADED FINER at either service! This coin realized \$11,163 in the 2016 FUN auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$14,000 and this coin, with its colorful eye appeal will delight any high end Barber half dollar collector!

PCGS# 6466 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+



### LOT 170 50C 1894 PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. Earlier ex Oliver and Greensboro Collections.

One of the absolute FINEST examples of the date that survives, just one example, the Duckor coin is graded finer at MS67+. This one has a marvelous, original blue-teal toning with interspersed traces of rose and pewter-silver hues throughout. Stunning mint luster blooms on both sides accenting the richness of the melange of color. Identifying this SUPERB

GEM for all times is a fingerprint on the obverse, which blends perfectly well with the vivacity of the luster and toning. Every detail is sharply struck and shows off an amazing boldness of definition. The surfaces are pristine and even using a strong glass, we cannot find a single contact mark of any kind worthy of mention. The originality of this impressive, world class, high end coin makes it an ideal choice for the FINEST Registry Set of Barber halves.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 3. There is a single MS67+ finer, which is also CAC approved. In its first auction appearance, as part of the Oliver Collection in August 2011, this beautiful coin realized \$29,900; when sold as the Greensboro Collection it realized \$17,625. The current PCGS Price Guide value of \$23,500 is the average of these two APRs. The Duckor MS67+ CAC sold for \$46,000 in the 2010 ANA auction. This may well be the finest available to collectors for the foreseeable future. Do not let this important opportunity pass you by--you will regret it! Worthy of the FINEST set, we would not be shocked if this SUPERB GEM brought a very strong price!

PCGS# 6468 | ESTIMATE: \$17,500+





### LOT 171 50C 1895-S PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. Ex. SHIREMAN/DUCKOR

Even though there is another MS67 graded, this coin is universally regarded as the finest 1895-S 50C that exists.

Looking it over, we agree!

The surfaces are amazingly clean and smooth. Even using a strong glass we could only find a tiny frost break and a tick-NOTHING else. A moderate luster(but strong for a 95-S) glows from all over. Handsome even toning of totally original olive/pale purple/pale blue/gold swirls evenly over the obverse and parts of the reverse. This is not a dull or drab coin. Miss Liberty and the details are remarkably fully struck. This coin clearly has never been messed with and was carefully stored for many years. The eye appeal is great!

PCGS 2, NGC 2, CAC 2. This coin last sold in January 2016 for \$58,750. We can see it easily bringing that or more as demand seems to be shifting back to series like this.

Regardless, this is such a cool coin to own!

PCGS# 6473 | ESTIMATE: \$60,000+

### LOT 172 50C 1896-O PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX ELIASBERG- STELLAR

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is honored to offer the sole FINEST KNOWN 1896-O half dollar that exists. While there were 924,000 halves struck, precious few were saved at the time of issue, and this is a very rare date in any Mint State grade. This pristine example was purchased directly from the New Orleans mint by J.M. Clapp in August 1896. Louis Eliasberg lovingly cared for this SUPERB GEM from 1942 when he bought the Clapp Estate.

This magnificent SUPERB GEM was described in in the April 1997 auction of the Eliasberg Collection, in part as:

"A superb gem example of one of the most highly prized issues of the series, a piece which ranks among the finest we have ever seen, and could probably just as easily be called full MS-66 or even higher. Certainly the connoisseur will want to cast hesitation aside when competing for this piece, secure in the knowledge that the coin is truly world class."

Highly lustrous surfaces have a pearlescent-satiny sheen that glows on virtually pristine surfaces. A strong glass cannot find any traces of contact anywhere on the ultra clean fields and devices. Every detail is fully delineated from a crisp, exacting blow from the dies. A pale, clear gold hue is dusted in the centers, gradually deepening to an amber-gold that blends with a flashy electric blue at the extreme periphery. The eye appeal is simply stunning—this cataloger has been mesmerized by the amazing originality and superb quality.

The 1896-O half is probably the rarest date in the series to find in Mint State. This example has long been considered one of the finest known, and the PCGS Population lists this stunning coin alone at the very apex of known specimens.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. Ex. John M. Clapp Collection, bought directly at the mint; Clapp Estate, to Louis Eliasberg, en bloc, via Stack's in 1942; Eliasberg Collection, Bowers & Merena, April 1997, lot 2077 (realizing \$44,000); Stellar Collection; Greensboro Collection, August 2015, lot 4075 realizing \$88,125. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$100,000. If you are building the FINEST set of world class Barber half dollars, you cannot complete your mission without this STELLAR coin! DO NOT let this opportunity pass you by! Keep this fact in mind: since it was minted, it has only sold in auction TWICE! Who knows when it will again.

PCGS# 6475 | ESTIMATE: \$90,000+







### LOT 173 50C 1897 PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

WOW! This SUPERB GEM is all there and then some!

Everything about this beautifully toned 1897 half is
SPECTACULAR. We doubt that you will ever find a prettier
example of this date in any grade! As expected a coin of this
lofty grade, it is tied for FINEST KNOWN.

The blushing pastel toning in Easter egg hues blend together on both sides of the pristine surfaces. The mixture of emerald green, rosy-peach, golden apricot, icy teal, and tangerine hues have an almost tie-dyed effect that is brought out by a vivacious, pristine luster. Every detail is fully formed and razor sharp in definition and the surfaces are the epitome of clean. The eye appeal is flawless and very high end.

PCGS 3, NGC 0, CAC 3. The only example to ever sell in auction is the Friend/Duckor coin, which sold in the 2010 ANA auction for \$27,600 before reselling in the Greensboro V Collection sale, 2015 ANA at \$19,388. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$25,500. It is our opinion that the presently offered SUPERB GEM is the finer, and we know that it will see a fierce bidding war when it crosses the block--it will be placed in a world class collection that ranks at the apex of the PCGS Set Registry! If that is your set, do not let this AMAZING coin pass you by!

PCGS# 6477 | ESTIMATE: \$20,000+

LOT 174 50C 1900 PCGS MS67 CAC

FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. Ex Akers and Duckor.

With the David Akers and Steven Duckor pedigree, you instantly know this coin is going to be all there and then some! Tied for FINEST graded, this SUPERB 1900 half dollar will delight any Barber half dollar collector.

This magnificent coin is fully PROOFLIKE, in fact, at first glance, you might even confuse it for a deeply and originally toned GEM. Aqua-teal, emerald, pale gold, and champagne toning blends with hints of lilac and rose. The devices are sharply impressed and offer full definition on both sides, and they are frosted, giving it a nearly cameo-like allure. A SUPERB coin bound for the FINEST set of Barber halves.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 2. This is the only 1900 in MS67 to have ever sold in auction. In the Duckor sale, this coin realized \$32,200 (2010 ANA auction). After that, it sold for \$19,975 in the October 2015 sale of the Greensboro Collection. Today, this coin will likely sell for more, as the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$25,500. With NONE finer, this magnificent coin will be put into a world class, SUPERB set!

PCGS# 6486 | ESTIMATE: \$21,000+





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### LOT 175 50C 1900-O PCGS MS66 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Tied for FINEST GRADED at PCGS and among the absolute finest known of this date. While the mintage was sizable, this is a major CONDITION RARITY, with just four examples graded at this lofty state, and NONE FINER at PCGS.

This is a GORGEOUS GEM! the boldest, satiny luster blooms with a glorious brilliance on both sides. Totally original, there is a wealth of iridescent pearly-silver and shimmering gold on the obverse and a richer amber gold on the reverse. This coin has a classic, old time look that is just marvelous and the eye appeal is exceptional. There are no visible ticks of any kind, even using a strong glass, except for one or two tiny ones on the cheek, visible only at certain angles with a powerful glass.

PCGS 4, NGC 1. The last example to sell was CAC-approved and sold for \$25,850 in February 2016; a non-CAC example sold for \$23,500 in the 2016 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$32,500 and this is an incredible coin that will see fierce bidding and a very strong realization. Bound for a world class Barber half set.

PCGS# 6487 | ESTIMATE: \$22,000+

LOT 176 50C 1901 PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX SHIREMAN

Tied for FINEST GRADED with the Price-Duckor PCGS MS67 CAC. This SUPERB GEM has a brilliant luster on ultra clean and flawless surfaces. Gorgeously toned in shades of gold, rose, and pale blue. Every detail is sharply struck up, showing only the slightest touch of weakness on the reverse. The eye appeal is very high end and extremely rare in such a high grade.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 2. This SUPERB example sold for \$17,625 in the 2016 FUN auction, at a particularly weak time in the market. The Duckor-Greensboro coin sold in the 2015 ANA auction for the same amount, after realizing \$27,600 in the August 2010 ANA auction. Today, the Collector's Universe value is listed at \$22,500. Previous records and price guide values do not matter much when you are discussing that this is a world class coin that will be placed into another world class Barber half dollar set. Good luck!

PCGS# 6489 | ESTIMATE: \$18,000+







### LOT 177 50C 1902-O PCGS MS66 CAC

FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. Ex Price Collection.

From David Aker's sale of the Thaine Price Collection, where it was described as:

"A superb specimen of incredible quality and beauty. A little weak on the right side of the eagle by the shield, but otherwise very sharply struck for a 1902-O Barber Half Dollar. This coin is completely original and has tremendous luster and magnificent toning. The obverse has beautiful sunset shades, light reddish-gold in the center and deeper reddish-gold and greenish-gold near the rims. The surfaces are nearly pristine, they are entirely free of marks of even the most microscopic nature, and there are only a couple of very faint and tiny hairlines that are completely obscured by the superb medium toning. In terms of both technical quality and overall eye appeal, this 1902-O is in a class by itself. It is far superior to the James Prior and Louis Eliasberg specimens, not to mention the Norweb coin that sold a decade ago and all others that have appeared at auction in between..."

Today, it is tied for FINEST KNOWN at PCGS, tied with the Duckor/Akers and the Shireman coins. It is a world class beauty worthy of the FINEST set of Mint State Barber halves.

PCGS 3, NGC 5, CAC 2. The other CAC coin is the Duckor/Akers coin that brought \$19,950 back in the 2010 ANA auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$15,000 and will likely exceed that level when the gavel finally falls. Good luck!

PCGS# 6493 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+

LOT 178 50C 1903 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX SHIREMAN-- DUCKOR

Tied for FINEST GRADED, this was a Duckor duplicate, that was sold privately to Dr. Shireman after Dr. Duckor bought the Thaine B. Price specimen. An underrated date that does not carry a significant premium despite being much scarcer than other dates in GEM Mint State.

Offering a nearly full strike, the definition is brought out by a satiny sheen across the surfaces on both sides. Pewter-silver, with accents of pastel gold and lilac come out when rotated in a light, the hues are more pronounced on the reverse. The surfaces are free and clear of any distracting marks, none are visible even with the naked eye.

PCGS 6, NGC 0, CAC 2. This remarkable example sold for \$8,813 in the weak 2016 FUN auction where the Shireman Barber half dollar set was sold. The previously mentioned Thaine Price—Dr. Duckor example sold for \$12,650 in the 2010 ANA auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$12,000 and we would not be shocked if this beauty realized a price around that when the gavel falls. This is another wonderful GEM Barber half that is going to end up in the FINEST set. Good luck!

PCGS# 6495 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+







### LOT 179 50C 1903-O PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION EX DUCKOR--PRICE.

The absolute, SOLE FINEST KNOWN and boasting a pedigree worthy of its distinguished place on the Population Report.

Everything about this SUPERB coin is just that--and we mean it! A gleaming satin luster blooms all over giving a wonderful underlying brilliance to the pale, pastel iridescent toning. The devices are sharply rendered and have a full, bold definition throughout. The eye appeal is stunning to say the least.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. The full known pedigree is: Norweb Collection Part III, Bowers and Merena, November 1988, lot 3630 (at \$11,000); Dr. Thaine B. Price Collection, David Akers, May 1998, lot 158 (at \$9,900); Dr. & Mrs. Steven L. Duckor Collection of Barber Half Dollars, Heritage, August 2010, lot 3207 (at \$46,000); Greensboro Collection, Part V, Heritage, August 2015, lot 4087 (\$28,200). The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$35,000, but being UNIQUE at this lofty grade level, the value will be determined when the hammer finally falls! What a great looking coin and will again be a part of a world class collection when it is sold!

PCGS# 6496 | ESTIMATE: \$30,000+

LOT 180 50C 1905-O PCGS MS68 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. Ex. DUCKOR/AKERS

This is a coin that just by reading the pedigree you know is all there and then some for the grade. We fully agree! We consider this coin to be in the top 2% of ALL MS Barber Halves.

Remarkable surfaces are the epitome of total perfection. Even when using a strong glass, you will find ZERO even minute imperfections. The surfaces have also a thick satiny texture and do appear smooth. A way above average luster (O mints just don't come with a lot of pizzazz luster) beams boldly from all over. The obverse has beautiful shades of original olive/blue/gold colors while the reverse has an amazing circle of royal blue/lime/pale violet that opens into deep gold centers. This is NOT a dull or drab coin. Miss Liberty and all of the details are frosty and are well struck for the date. There is the typical weakness under the Eagles left wing (as struck). The eye appeal is gorgeous.

PCGS 2, NGC 1, CAC 2. The last PCGS CAC MS68 piece to sell in auction brought \$54,050 in October 2015. It is our strong opinion this coin should be worth \$75,000-\$100,000. Here is why: you have an obsolete Mint, it is a 113 year old coin that never reached circulation, the coin looks amazing, and the pedigree proves it is clearly one of the best or the best 1905-O's in existence. Even in MS67 the pop is only 2. How many more in this condition do you ever think will be graded? The market has spanked coins like this for no real reason.

If you collect Mint State Barbers or are building a world class Type set, this coin should be given extra special consideration!

PCGS# 6502 | ESTIMATE: \$50,000+







A truly SUPERB example, boasting an excellent pedigree chain: Dr. Steven L. Duckor and Eugene Gardner Collections.

Visually impressive in every way! A strong satin mint frost blooms with a warm lustrous glow. Icy lilac-blue tone is delicately dusted over the surfaces on both sides. Both sides show off impressive, totally defect free surfaces; using a powerful glass nothing more than a tiny hint of contact is detected, but does not detract from the overall very high end look. NONE ARE FINER!

PCGS 2, NGC 0. This coin last sold in May 2015 as part of the Gardner Collection for \$11,750 and as part of the Duckor sale in the 2010 ANA auction, it brought \$12,650. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$15,000. With NONE FINER, this SUPERB Barber half dollar is bound for another world class set!

PCGS# 6504 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+



### LOT 182 50C 1906-D PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to present this FINEST KNOWN 1906-D half dollar! Worthy in every way of its lofty numerical grade, the eye appeal is also off the charts spectacular!

The surface quality is stunning; close examination with a powerful loupe finds virtually no signs of any kind of contact. A strong, satin luster blooms, enlivening the fantastic array of iridescent tones that drape both sides. The obverse has some wonderful sunset rose hues at the rim, with lilac-sliver gracing the central obverse. The reverse is awash in a deep orange-gold and light blue tones that come to life when rotated in the light. Every detail is crisply struck up, save for the slightest hint of weakness on the right wing, which is typical for the date. You can lose yourself staring at the majestic eye appeal of this AMAZING SUPERB GEM 06-D half.

For a Barber half dollar, this coin has a very important and impressive provenance: John C. Hugon Collection; Eugene H. Gardner Collection; Greensboro Collection; Maybach Collection. Remarkably, its prior provenance has never been determined, but it is not the Price nor the Eliasberg coin.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. In the most recent appearance of this SUPERB GEM, it sold in October 2015 for \$39,950; six months earlier in the Gardner Sale, it realized \$47,000. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$51,500. This SUPERB GEM is worthy of any WORLD CLASS Barber half dollar collection, it has graced four AMAZING sets in the last 13 or so years! Now you have a chance to own it and give it a permanent home—do not let the opportunity pass you by!

PCGS# 6505 | ESTIMATE: \$40,000+







### LOT 183 50C 1906-O PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

WOW! This coin is nothing less than remarkable. It is VERY HIGH END!

Amazing surfaces are the ultimate in smoothness and cleanliness. Not even a speck on the surfaces can be found when using a strong glass. We think a small old tick under the eye is what keeps it from MS67+/68 (you need a glass to see it). We actually thought it was a lock MS67+ and sent it to PCGS for the consignor. Oh well, it will always be a VERY HIGH END coin. A way above average luster beams from all over. It makes the totally original colors of olive/pale forest green/blue/gold stand out. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck-something you do not see too often on O Mints. The eye appeal is superb!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 3. PCGS has graded 2 coins MS67+ with none higher. This coin last sold for \$17,038 in August 2015. We just do not see GEM top grade Barber halves like this anymore. We think there will be very strong bidding here, be prepared!

PCGS# 6506 | ESTIMATE: \$18,000+

LOT 184 50C 1907-S PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX PRICE

What an important 07-S, bested by just a single MS67+ finer. Not only is this one of the FINEST graded, but its provenance is equally important: Ex Thaine Price, John Hugon, and Greensboro Collections.

The eye appeal is visually very high end. A pearlescent satin frost offers a brilliant sheen on both sides. Its surfaces are dusted with a lovely iridescent golden-champagne tone. The design elements are sharply struck and the surfaces are wonderfully preserved with no singularly distracting ticks or marks. The eye appeal is exceptional.

When the late David Akers cataloged this SUPERB GEM in 1998, he noted that this was the finest example to appear in auction for many years, with the sole exception of the Eliasberg coin that had sold in 1997. Today, we know that just the Duckor coin, which was ex David Akers privately, is finer.

PCGS 2, NGC 1. We think that the Duckor coin, which was MS67 in 2010 is counted here as well as the sole finest MS67+. This remarkable coin, sold as part of the Hugon Collection in the 2005 FUN auction realized \$27,600; it realized \$17,625 in the October 2015 sale of the Greensboro Collection. At the time, the Newman, Gardner, and Greensboro Collections had sold in a very short period, with the Shireman Collection on the horizon (sold in the 2016 FUN auction). It has been a few years, those collections all well dispersed, and we think today the Collector's Universe value of \$22,500 will be met. Anticipate strong bidding for this one!

PCGS# 6511 | ESTIMATE: \$18,000+









### LOT 185 50C 1908 PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

### EX SHIREMAN

This SUPERB GEM is tied for FINEST KNOWN and currently ranks at the top of the PCGS CoinFacts Condition Census; tied with the Blay-Duckor-Greensboro Collection.

Satiny smooth surfaces are accented by a rich, frosty luster.

Mostly untoned save for a pearly-silver-white and a touch of iridescent gold at the rims. The eye appeal is even further enhanced by the sharply struck devices and the surfaces are essentially without any flaws of any kind, even under close inspection with a glass. The eye appeal is very high end and this marvelous SUPERB GEM will delight any Barber half dollar specialist.

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 2. NONE ARE GRADED FINER. This coin sold in the 2016 FUN auction for \$21,150 as part of the Shireman Collection; the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$18,500. That level will be surpassed when this GEM hammers down. Bound for the FINEST set of Barber halves.

PCGS# 6512 | ESTIMATE: \$17,500+

### LOT 186 50C 1908-S PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Tied for FINEST graded! We believe this is the Dr. Thaine B. Price--Eugene Gardner Collection coin, the few tiny ticks on the obverse match. A magnificent and SUPERB obverse displays a wonderful melange of green-gold, electric aqua teal, and blue/violet tones that come to live with a bold, brilliant underlying luster. The devices are crisply struck up, with full definition on both sides. The eye appeal is very nice, as are many high grade pieces. The 08-S is a very underrated date that is excessively rare in such high grade.

PCGS 2, NGC 1. NONE ARE FINER at either service and this is the only one to ever sell in auction, realizing \$17,625 in October 2014 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$15,000. We anticipate that bidding will be fierce when this SUPERB coin crosses the block!

PCGS# 6515 | ESTIMATE: \$17,000+







### LOT 187 50C 1909-S PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Though not noted on the holder, this SUPERB GEM is ex Dale Friend and Greensboro Collections.

A very high end example that is certainly among the FINEST graded. Both sides show a fully vibrant and brilliant satin luster on the surfaces that are radiant and pearly. A delicate touch of pale champagne and gold

tone. There are a couple of tiny, hidden ticks but nothing that distracts from the wonderful overall eye appeal.

While not noted on the holder, this is the inverted "S" variety, where the mintmark was punched upside down on the reverse die. Ranking among the finest, this coin was noted as being finer than the Pryor coin, and about tied with the Eliasberg and Price coins. Tied in grade with the Stack-Queller-Duckor coin and the Gardner coin. The former NGC MS68 from the Hugon Collection is now the PCGS MS67+ that sold in the Shireman Collection.

PCGS 6, NGC 1. Just a single MS67+ is finer on the population report. This coin last sold for \$11,750 in October 2015; prior to that, it sold for \$12,650 in the 2009 FUN auction. More recently the Duckor coin sold for \$11,163 in October 2016. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$12,000 and we think this SUPERB coin could break through that level when it crosses the block. Who knows when another might come up. Good luck!

PCGS# 6518 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+

### LOT 188 50C 1911 PCGS MS66 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

A coin worthy of its lofty grade, with a lively, pearly, satin sheen that has a bold vibrance in the fields. A delicate dusting of rose-gold and russet-tan that deepens toward the peripheries. Nice surfaces show only a couple of very minor ticks, none of which have an effect on the eye appeal. Sharply struck up and displaying nearly full details throughout. The eye appeal is quite nice. While available in all grades, including MS65, with relative ease, there are only a dozen graded MS66 to go around, with a single MS66+ finer.





PCGS 12, NGC 7. The last one to sell in auction realized \$3,055 in the 2017 FUN auction; that coin was also the one that sold for \$3,760 in the 2016 FUN sale of the Shireman Collection. This coin has a better look. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,500. The SOLE finest MS66+ sold for \$10,800 in September 2017. Worthy of any great collection of Barber halves, good luck.

PCGS# 6521 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

LOT 189 50C 1911-D PCGS MS67 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX ELIASBERG

WOW! One glance at this SUPERB GEM and you know it ranks as one of the FINEST 1911-D halves that exists!

Described in the April 1997 Eliasberg catalog as follows: "MS67, Prooflike. Delicate champagne toning over prooflike surfaces. A possible PRESENTATION COIN of a quality we have not seen described in the literature, and quite possibly unknown...We believe this extraordinary specimen to be the finest known..."

Noted authorities David Akers and David Lawrence both noted that most Mint State survivors usually lack luster. This marvelous SUPERB GEM is the exact opposite of the typical survivor! The Eliasberg cataloger failed to make note of the awesome strike and how clean and free of any contact the surfaces are.

It is thought that this coin was purchased by J.M. Clapp, directly from the Denver mint in 1911. Eliasberg purchased the entire Clapp estate in 1942. Lot 2124 in the April 1997 Eliasberg sale to John C. Hugon. Hugon Collection, 2005 FUN Auction, lot 4259; Greensboro Collection, Part VI, October 2015, lot 3312, where it realized \$15,275.

PCGS 3, NGC 1, CAC 2. Prior to this one selling, the Nagy-Friend-Gardner coin sold for \$19,975 in October 2014. The only other MS67 sold in July 2003, and is now impounded in the High Desert Collection. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$16,500 and this coin is deserving of a home in the FINEST Barber half dollar set! We know this SUPERB 11-D will see fierce bidding!

PCGS# 6522 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+





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### LOT 190 50C 1912 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

A truly unique looking Premium GEM 1912 that ranks among the FINEST known of the date. While fairly common even in MS65, it is truly a major rarity in MS66 and finer, with just four in 66 and one MS66+ finer.

The reliefs display a rich, pearly frost with bold satin-like luster glowing in the fields. Deep toning in the recesses shows off deep brick red, accents of fiery orange, and dark forest green hues that contrast superbly against the smoothness of the devices. The eye appeal is truly unique, totally original, and the quality is very high end.

PCGS 4, NGC 0, CAC 4. Both services have graded just a single MS66+ finer. The only PCGS/CAC coin to sell in auction realized \$23,000 in August 2010, when the Akers-Duckor Collection sold. Because the two most recent PCGS coins were not CAC, and sold for less, the current PCGS value is listed at only \$9,500. We know this one will break through that level when the gavel falls. Bound for another world class collection, good luck!

PCGS# 6524 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+

### LOT 191 50C 1912-D PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION

This is the SOLE FINEST graded 1912-D half dollar at either service. Richly toned on both sides with earthen gold and pale emerald accents on both sides. A strong, brilliant mint luster blooms throughout the fields with a bold satiny allure. Using a strong glass we are unable to locate any mark serious on its own to preclude a CAC bean. Nicely struck throughout, there is just a little typical weakness noted in areas, again, nothing that impacts the amazing and original eye appeal of this SUPERB GEM.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. This coin has not sold via auction and the current Collector's Universe value of \$13,000 is pure conjecture, and for the POP TOP, we think that value is too low. Again this series has been beaten in value, this is an amazing coin for the advanced Registry Set collector looking only for the FINEST graded examples! Good luck!

PCGS# 6525 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+





### LOT 192 50C 1912-S PCGS MS66 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

This is a very pretty and high end GEM that is among the FINEST graded at PCGS. Mottled golden tone blends with hints of sea-green at the rims accenting vibrant silver luster at the centers. Sharply struck devices stand out wonderfully against the smooth, clean surfaces. The eye appeal is truly unique and very pleasing.

PCGS 9, NGC 5. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$6,000 and the most recent examples to sell were CAC approved, realizing \$6,463 in our October 2017 Regency Auction. Prior to that the Eliasberg/Shireman coin sold for \$7,638 in the 2016 FUN auction. This coin is remarkable for its wonderful quality and eye appeal and will see very strong bidding to be sure!

PCGS# 6526 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

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### LOT 193 50C 1913-S PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Earlier ex Greensboro Collection, Part VI; Dr. Steven L Duckor; and Dale Friend Collections.

The SOLE FINEST 1913-S half graded at either service and boasting a provenance that includes some of the most famous names in Barber half dollar collections assembled in the last 15 years.

Delicate pastel gold with accents of pale blue and lemon yellow that complement the subtle reflectivity in the fields. The devices are well struck and the surfaces are clean on both sides, showing just a few minor ticks and hints of contact. The eye appeal is very nice and memorable for sure.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. Selling in the Duckor sale (2010 ANA auction) for \$43,125 and again in the October 2015 sale of the Greensboro Collection for \$21,150. Today, the Collector's Universe value is listed at \$24,500 and we think that this coin could well bring that or more. As the FINEST 1913-S half, this SUPERB coin is worthy of a high end set!

PCGS# 6529 | ESTIMATE: \$23,000+







### LOT 194 50C 1914-S PCGS MS66 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION.

Tied for second FINEST graded at PCGS, this impressive GEM has accents of reflective, flashy luster in the fields. Delicate golden-russet can be seen clinging to the surfaces in places framing the nicely struck and lustrous devices. A tiny line or two are noted for accuracy, this GEM has a distinct look imparted by the subtly PL reflection.

PCGS 6, NGC 4. Only three coins are graded finer, all MS66+. This coin sold in October 2015 for \$6,463. More recently a CAC-approved coin sold for \$7,050 in June 2016. The only 66+ to sell realized \$22,325 in March 2015 and the MS66 Collector's Universe value is listed at \$9,000. If you are working on a top ranking Barber half dollar set, do not let this coin pass you by.

PCGS# 6531 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+

### LOT 195 50C 1915-S PCGS MS67 FROM THE FORMULA 1 COLLECTION. EX SHIREMAN

Tied for FINEST GRADED at PCGS, this SUPERB GEM has a bold, vibrant, frosty. Nicely struck on both sides the devices show essentially full definition. A dusting of the clearest golden pearl iridescent toning on both sides. There are a few minor ticks that are visible with the aid of a powerful glass, but the eye appeal is better than most seen.



While the 15-S is one of the more available dates in Mint State, in such a lofty state of designation it is indeed RARE. This one is ranked as second finest on the PCGS CoinFacts Census, behind the Duckor coin, also graded MS67.

PCGS 2, NGC 2. This coin realized \$11,750 in the 2016 FUN auction, a sale that took place at a very weak point in the market. Prior to that, the Duckor coin sold for \$13,800 in the 2010 ANA auction (Dr. Duckor paid \$29,900 in May 2008). This is NOT the NGC coin sold in September 2010 for \$14,950. This high grade Barber half is bound for a sophisticated set for sure.

PCGS# 6531 | ESTIMATE: \$12,500+





LOT 196 50C 1892 PCGS MS65 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Another great type coin from this collection. GEM examples from the first year of issue are always in demand, and they are quite scarce when they are totally unmolested and original with a great satiny look. Pearly-silver is untoned, the devices crisply impressed from the dies, and the eye appeal very high end for the grade.

PCGS 114, NGC 80, CAC 34. There is a very wide range of APRs in the two most recent sales, one selling for \$4,200 in November 2018 and prior to that, one selling in June 2018 for \$1,800. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,800 we know a coin like this will bring that or more—it is that high end.

PCGS# 6461 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+





LOT 197 50C 1892 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

A truly PQ first year Barber half. What a great way to start off a high end collection! Boldly lustrous surfaces are aglow below a dusting of multi-colored pastel iridescence. Shades of pale green, gold, icy blue, and champagne-rose blend together with a glorious effect. Under close examination with a powerful glass, we find no flaws worthy of any sort of mention and the strike is bold. When taken with the wonderful originality of the colors and overall high quality, this borderline SUPERB coin boasts an exceptional eye appeal and is worthy of any awesome Barber half dollar collection.

PCGS 46, NGC 34, CAC 28. We sold the last two PCGS/CAC coins; the last one realizing \$3,080 in our July 2018 Premier Session and the one before that brought \$2,970 in our February 2018 Premier Session. Prior to that, the last one to sell realized \$6,453 in June 2017. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500 and we suspect that this high end GEM will sell for a premium bid!

PCGS# 6461 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





### LOT 198 50C 1892 PCGS MS67 CAC Ex Shireman and Wiseman Collections.

A STUNNING Superb GEM example of the first year of the Barber series. Offering a superior sharp strike with barely any weakness seen anywhere. The surfaces are exceptionally clean and free of any distracting marks, lines, ticks or anything, even using a strong glass the surfaces appear pristine. A bold, exceptional luster with accents of delicate prooflike reflection.

Iridescent toning in shades of teal, aqua, and amber-rose hues that complement the stunning surfaces wonderfully. Needless to say, this impressive SUPERB GEM is among the FINEST KNOWN and is certainly one of the most beautiful we have had the pleasure to handling.

PCGS 10, NGC 6, CAC 10. During the market downturn in early 2016, this immaculate GEM sold for \$14,688 in that year's FUN auction. Today the PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$10,500 and with just five coins graded higher, this remarkable coin will be a delight to the advanced collector, working on a top quality set.

PCGS# 6461 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+





LOT 199 50C 1892-S PCGS MS66 CAC EX FRIEND

One of the FINEST 92-S
Barber halves to ever be offered. It is a major condition rarity in GEM grades and this PQ sits near the apex of the Population Reports.

Satiny lustrous surfaces have a dusting of dove and gold tone with accents of amber and lilac. The devices are sharply struck and the surfaces are essentially

without flaw. Featured in the famed Dale Friend Collection, then purchased by the late, great Gene Gardner--this declares boldly the quality of the offering.

PCGS 2, NGC 2, CAC 3. This coin sold for \$9,775 in the 2009 FUN auction, \$11,163 in the Gardner sale, and for \$7,050 in the 2016 FUN auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$9,500 and there are only two coins finer, a 66+ and a 67+--the 67+ would bring over \$30,000 today if it came out on to the market again. This is an impressive GEM worthy of any high end collection of Barber halves and will see very strong bidding when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 6464 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+

### LOT 200 50C 1893 PCGS MS 64+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a very scarce early date Barber half in near GEM quality--about as close to GEM as you could get.

Warm, glowing, satiny luster blooms on both sides of this nicely preserved half. Brilliant silver centers yield to a ring of varied green, gold, and blue shades at the extreme periphery. Sharply struck and very pretty for the advanced collector.





PCGS 42, NGC 29, CAC 10. Only four coins are graded MS64+ at PCGS, and this date is indeed very scarce any finer. This coin is a study in how badly this series has been beaten down in value in the last few years. This coin sold for \$3,055 in the 2013 FUN auction. Since then CAC approved GEMS have sold for that much. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,950 and we think this one is worthy of a bid well in excess of that amount. Good luck!

PCGS# 6465 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

### LOT 201 50C 1895 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Ex Shireman and Hugon Collections.

Among the FINEST KNOWN 1895 half dollars; indeed, only a single MS67 is graded finer at either service. Smooth, satiny lustrous surfaces boast a vibrant mint frost on both sides. Sharply struck up on both sides, the eye appeal is further enhanced by an icy blue, cool lilac, and pale gold that grace both sides. The eye appeal is very high end.



PCGS 10, NGC 5, CAC 6. There are four coins graded MS66+ and just a single MS67 graded finer. This remarkable and beautiful coin sold in the 2016 FUN auction for \$9,400 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$8,000. The MS67 has never been sold in auction, making this probably the FINEST example that is obtainable for the advanced collector. It graced two great collections, and now it can grace yours!

PCGS# 6471 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+



LOT 202 50C 1895-O PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION. EX SHIREMAN

A pearlescent and frosty near-GEM from a famous set of Barber halves. A decent strike is accented by a glowing satin bloom. Only the palest traces of clear gold toning grace some of the protected areas. Only a tiny line or two can be seen on the cheek, and only with a strong glass, otherwise this coin deserves a finer grade designation! The eye appeal is certainly that of a GEM.

PCGS 22, NGC 16, CAC 4. The most recent CAC-approved example was sold four years ago, in a July 2017 auction, realizing \$2,530. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,750. Certainly under appreciated in our opinion; this coin is worthy of any near-GEM set.

PCGS# 6472 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+



### LOT 203 50C 1898 PCGS MS66+ CAC

One look at this SUPERB GEM and there can be no doubt as to why this coin is tied for SECOND FINEST certified by PCGS!

First of all the technical qualities are AMAZING--the strike, surfaces, luster, and toning are all very high end. Light pastel toning gracefully dusts both sides of this stunning GEM and is amplified by the glowing satin luster. Every detail on Ms.

Liberty and the eagle are fully defined and boldly impressed from an exacting blow from the dies. The eye appeal is absolutely beautiful-indeed it is hard to imagine a prettier specimen.

PCGS 21, NGC 2, CAC 14. There are 9 coins graded by PCGS as MS66+ and just two coins finer, both MS67. This stunning beauty sold for \$9,400 in our October 2017 Regency Auction on an estimate of \$5,000-\$5,500. Keep in mind that one did sell in 2014 for \$18,800 and the last PCGS MS67 CAC, the ex Dale Friend coin last sold for \$37,600! The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$6,000. An important opportunity for the advanced Barber collector. Now is a great time to build a set!

PCGS# 6480 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

### LOT 204 50C 1899-O PCGS MS65 CAC

For the collector of high grade and high end Barber halves our Regency Auction 30 has an abundance of riches! The present GEM 1899-O is just under the condition census. Frosty-lustrous silver surfaces have a light golden-pearlescent hue. Nicely struck and offering great look.

PCGS 12, NGC 5, CAC 1. This is the one that sold in the 2014 FUN auction for \$7,050. Non-CAC coins have sold for much less, thus the current



Collector's Universe value is listed at \$4,700. Keep in mind we just sold a PCGS MS66 CAC for \$12,925. This is bound for a world class GEM Barber half dollar set. These are so cheap!

PCGS# 6484 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+

### LOT 205 50C 1906-D PCGS MS66 CAC

Ex Shireman Collection.

Impressive! The satinylustrous surfaces have a wonderfully thick mint frost that flows brilliantly in the fields and on the sharply struck devices. Pearly silver surfaces have a clear, iridescent gold that just ever so delicately dusts them, giving this GEM a classic, high end, luxurious look that is hard to imagine any finer.



PCGS 7, NGC 3, CAC 7. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$5,400 in the 2018 FUN auction. In the 2016 FUN auction, this coin realized \$4,700 and the current PCGS Price Guide lists a value of \$5,250. Just 3 coins are finer, with MS67 being the finest, a coin that has sold in 2015 twice between \$40,000 and \$47,000! This amazing example will delight any top ranking Registry Set collector who not only seeks lofty grades, but also high end quality within said grade. We know this one will bring a strong price.

PCGS# 6505 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+



### LOT 206 50C 1908-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION. Earlier ex Shireman-Hugon Collections.

Tied with one other for second FINEST graded. While fairly common in lower grades, it is indeed VERY RARE in GEM and finer grades.

A brilliant, satin-like lustrous sheen glows in the smooth, clean surfaces. Sharply struck, with just the most minute

traces of weakness at the highest points of the design. The iridescent toning is well balanced on both sides, with delicate slate-blue and peach-rose hued patina. The eye appeal is very high end indeed! That it graced two important Barber half dollar collections before being placed in the Symphony Collection speaks volumes to its quality.

PCGS 5, NGC 3, CAC 4. This is one of only two in MS66+ and there are 2 finer, both MS68. This wonderful, borderline SUPERB coin sold in the weak 2016 FUN auction for \$7,638 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$9,150. We do expect strong bidding when this one crosses the block. Good luck!

PCGS# 6515 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+



LOT 207
50C 1911-S/S RPM FS-501.
PCGS MS66 CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY
COLLECTION. Earlier ex:
Hayes and Friend Collections.

This is a very high end GEM example of this newly discovered Cherrypicker variety. The S clearly shows repunching on the lower serif.

Scarce as a date in this grade, and this is the SOLE FINEST of the variety. As a date, this coin is bested by just two coins, a 66+ and a 67+. A satin

mint frost has a soft, billowy texture in the fields, and on the devices, which are both graced with a dove/slate/lavender patina. The eye appeal is fantastic and totally original, and it has the Hayes-Friend provenance, one of the more well known in the series.

PCGS 9, NGC 1, CAC 7. This GEM last sold in a very weak point in the market, selling for \$5,875 but today the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$7,000 and these are VERY RARE clearly, with anything finer approaching \$10,000 or more! This is a great coin for any GEM Barber set!

PCGS# 6523 | ESTIMATE: \$5,250+

### LOT 208 50C 1915 PCGS MS66 Ex Shireman Collection.

The final Philadelphia mint issue of the Barber half dollar series had the second lowest mintage of the series, with just 138,000 struck. Of those that survive, just TWO have received marginally finer grades at PCGS, both graded MS66+. The presently offered GEM is tied for SECOND FINEST graded and is a very lustrous and well struck example. The surfaces are delicately dusted with a



champagne-peach patina that adds to the vivid pearlescent luster. The devices are sharply struck up and the surfaces, only with the aid of a powerful loupe, show the most minute little traces of contact. The eye appeal is very high end, and even after examining this coin for several moments, we are baffled as to why it is not CAC-affirmed.

PCGS 4, NGC 1. This coin realized \$9,400 in the 2016 FUN auction. The most recent examples sold in the \$5,170 to \$6,463 range and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$7,250. Bested by just two coins, including the Duckor coin, that sold for \$42,300 in May 2015; this GEM is worthy of inclusion in another high ranking set of Barber halves and does have a great look.

PCGS# 6532 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+

### LOT 209 50C 1915-D PCGS MS66+ CAC

Ex Norweb, Price, and Duckor Collections.

First, let the provenance sink in for a moment, and imagine your name added to that impressive pedigree chain. Realize also that this frosty, lustrous, borderline SUPERB GEM, is tied for FINEST graded at PCGS and deservingly so!

David Akers, in his cataloging of this coin in the Thaine



Price Collection stated that this was "an outstanding example... It is sharply struck with superb luster and a very attractive speckled reddish-gold toning. There are only a couple of microscopic marks on the entire coin and its overall eye appeal matches its extremely high technical quality...it is apparent that Gems of the caliber of this piece are quite rare and very desirable."

There really is not much that we can add to that description. Mr. Akers was correct that in such a lofty state of preservation, the 15-D is quite RARE.

PCGS 27, NGC 11, CAC 15. Ex Norweb Collection, Bowers and Merena, November 1988, lot 3665, as "MS65". According to our sale room copy, the lot opened at \$1,000 and hammered at \$7,000. Later it appeared in the Thaine B. Price Collection, David Akers, May 1998, lot 195, as Gem Uncirculated, where it realized \$7,150; later still in the Dr. and Mrs. Steven L. Duckor Collection, Heritage, August 2010, lot 3244 where it was graded PCGS MS66+ CAC and realized \$6,900. Today, we think this coin will see very strong bidding. Remember your name can now be associated with a pedigree chain that goes back to three major collections of Barber halves.

PCGS# 6533 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+



### LOT 210 50C 1893 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Truly a SUPERB GEM Proof that is as brilliant and bright as the day it was struck. Offering the epitome of deep, beaming mirrors are untoned and have ultra clean, bold clarity. The sharply struck devices are exceptionally frosted. The reliefs have a bold contrast against the surrounding mirrored fields. The eye appeal is amazing.

Only 792 Proofs were struck. PCGS 6, NGC 12, CAC 4.

Only two coins are graded higher in the designation. The only CAC-approved example to sell in auction realized \$11,401 in September 2018. The single PR68 CAM sold for \$18,500 in our September 2016 Regency Auction. Boasting such amazing eye appeal and technical quality, we know this SUPERB coin will bring a strong bid!

PCGS# 86540 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





### LOT 211 50C 1918 PCGS MS66 CAC

A beautiful, high end GEM that is tied for FINEST GRADED! Everything about this superb coin is totally original and of exceptional technical and aesthetic qualities!

Well struck with a full hand and thumb and just some softness of the flag's stripes on Liberty's leg. Highly lustrous surfaces are radiant and brilliant with an amazing eye appeal.

The peripheries have a dusted ring of dappled, iridescent toning that is a true delight to behold. There is a scattering of microscopic traces of contact, which are unobtrusive and have no bearing on the stunning visual allure.

While having a mintage of over 6.6 million coins, this date is a true condition rarity in GEM. Most examples went into circulation, and it is scarce in any lower Mint State grade.

Tied with perhaps nine other coins for FINEST graded honors, including the MS66 in the Forsythe Collection, this is a very important Walking Liberty half dollar for the advanced collector.

PCGS 10, NGC 7, CAC 5. The last one to sell realized \$17,625 in the 2016 ANA auction, the same amount as the Gardner coin, which sold in October 2014. The record price was the Eric Lane coin, sold in the 2015 ANA sale for \$32,900. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$20,000, but we think this one will bring well in excess of that amount. If you demand the FINEST, and are working on a very high end set of Walking Liberty half dollars this is an opportunity of the utmost importance. We know this SUPERB coin will bring a very strong bid!

PCGS# 6574 | ESTIMATE: \$16,000+

### LOT 212 50C 1920-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

We can tell you the buyer of this coin in the Duckor sale was not alone in thinking it was a MS67. PCGS saw one teenie hidden tick and denied that lofty grade. Unquestionably, this piece still ranks among the finest survivors.

Remarkable fully satiny surfaces are exceedingly clean and smooth. The only tick may not even be a tick-it could be a die/planchet issue. Regardless, it is a hidden tick. A booming yet glowing luster beams from all over. The color is an original satiny white with some faint hints of gold on the obverse. Miss Liberty and every detail are incredibly struck (you do not have to use a strong glass to see the split in the thumb). The eye appeal will bring any Walker collector to their knees as it is that incredible!

PCGS 7, NGC 10, CAC 5. This is the ONLY MS66+ graded and this coin is the FINEST graded at PCGS. That is impressive! This coin's last sale price was \$60,000. Now, with the confirmation of it being the FINEST graded, we do see it bringing more!

If you are building one of the finest Walker Collections-this coin will be a standout super star in it!

PCGS# 66582 | ESTIMATE: \$80,000+





### LOT 213 50C 1927-S PCGS MS65 CAC

A stunning GEM! The luster is blinding in the fields, with a bright and brilliant mint luster. Satiny fields are vibrant and the sharply struck devices are nicely frosted and do stand out. This 27-S is very high end with just a couple of tiny ticks that are scattered about, none that are visible to the unaided eye. About as lustrous and brilliant white silver as the day it was minted, this coin has a SUPERB look and is housed in an old green label holder.

PCGS 77, NGC 37, CAC 27. LRCA has had the pleasure of selling one in our September 2018 Regency Auction for \$8,519, as well as one in our May 2018 Regency Auction for \$9,694 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$9,500. Keep in mind this date is incredibly RARE any finer, with prices listed at \$12,000 in MS65+ and \$30,000 in MS66 with NONE FINER. This amazing looking GEM is worthy of a world class set of Walking Liberty half dollars, and will see fierce bidding when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 6587 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+

### LOT 214 50C 1928-S PCGS MS65 CAC

This is the epitome of originality! Everything about this old holdered GEM is special and beyond pleasing. The surfaces are awash in a thick, original mint frost that has a radiant, pearly sheen with a delicate, light iridescent gold. The devices are crisply defined and have essentially full details on either side. The surfaces are essentially flawless. We do rate this coin as exceptionally high end for the assigned grade, and clearly finer than some graded even higher.



PCGS 61, NGC 39, CAC 17. The most recent example to sell in auction brought \$15,863 in our September 2018 Regency Auction. Prior to that, one sold for \$22,913. Extremely RARE any finer, this coin is worthy of a very high end and world class set.

PCGS# 6588 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+

### **LOT 215**

### 50C 1929-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Frosty and satiny smooth, this lovely GEM has a great look. The patina is a soft pearly iridescent silver and a warm frosty luster that accents the sharply struck up devices. The eye appeal is unimpaired by any serious marks or any type of contact.

PCGS 216, NGC 84, CAC 49. The last PCGS/CAC coin sold in December 2017 for \$2,520 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,500. Very scarce any finer and this GEM is worthy of a great Walker set.

PCGS# 6589 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+









### LOT 216 50C 1929-D PCGS MS66+ CAC

An impressive, very high end, and totally original SUPERB GEM 29-D half! This coin is magnificent!

A strong, satiny luster provides a shimmering, warm glow on both sides. Delicate dove-rose and pale-lilac tones are gently dusted across the surfaces imparting a bold, original look. Sharply struck and very high end, we cannot find a single mark or line worthy of mention on either

side. This coin has an amazing visual allure that will delight any collector.

PCGS 75, NGC 14, CAC 28. There are six graded 66+ and just 2 finer. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$16,800 in the 2018 FUN auction. Prior to that, these sold in the \$10,000-\$11,000 range and the current PCGS value is listed at \$11,750. Keep in mind that a 67 is worth \$40,000+ and we sold the sole FINEST MS67+ in September 2018 for \$82,250! This coin is bound for a fantastic set of Walkers and will see very strong bidding for sure!

PCGS# 6589 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+

### LOT 217 50C 1929-S PCGS MS65 CAC

A very high end and gloriously lustrous GEM! The obverse luster has a bold, almost reflective gleam as you look at it under different angles of light. Every detail is fully rendered, and even Liberty's hand shows the complete outline of the thumb. Only under the strongest glass, can you detect any kind of line or tick. The eye appeal is quite nice!

PCGS 228, NGC 132, CAC 47. Legend Rare Coin Auctions is pleased that the last three PCGS MS65 CAC examples sold in our auctions. One sold in April 2018 for \$3,080 and one sold in September 2018 for \$3,055. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,850. A great example of this somewhat scarcer date. It becomes RARE any finer.

PCGS# 6590 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+





### LOT 218 50C 1929-S PCGS MS65 CAC



Certainly HIGH END and GEM quality defined! A full frosty mint luster glows on this 29-S! Sharply struck on both sides, this PQ coin has every detail fully defined, fully rendered by a precision blow from the dies. The luster does show hints of iridescent clear gold in the fields.

The eye appeal is excellent!

PCGS 226, NGC 130, CAC 47. The last PCGS/CAC sold in our September 2018 Regency Auction for \$3,055 and before that in our April 2018 Premier session for \$3,085 and prior to that, there are three records in 2017 for \$3,290. RARE any finer--this specimen is worthy of a very strong bid indeed!

PCGS# 6590 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+

### LOT 219 50C 1933-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is one of the most magnificent MS66+ 1933-S halves we can imagine. It looks like it just came off the dies! The eye appeal is sensational in every way. A full beaming luster is uninterrupted and totally smooth, free of any flaws in the fields and only one minor touch of contact can be seen on the reverse. Every detail is completely struck up and very high end for the date and grade. The eye appeal is spectacular!





PCGS 121, NGC 62, CAC 44. There are 13 graded MS66+ at PCGS and only 16 finer. The last one to sell brought \$5,760 in July 2018. We sold one in our May 2018 Regency Auction for \$7,931. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$8,500 and keep in mind that a PCGS MS67 CAC will cost \$20,000+! This beautiful SUPERB GEM will fit nicely into any high end collection of Walkers.

PCGS# 6591 | ESTIMATE: \$8,500+

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### LOT 220 50C 1933-S PCGS MS67

What a marvelous SUPERB GEM this coin is! With just a single MS67+ graded finer at PCGS, this coin ranks among the absolute FINEST graded for the date. The surfaces are exceptionally brilliant with a bold, radiant luster that is seen all over. Sharply struck devices do stand out and have a warm silver frost. Touches of pleasing, light toning can be seen, which add to the overall amazing eye appeal.

PCGS 15, NGC 5. Two non-CAC PCGS MS67s have sold in auction in the last four years, both realizing \$9,988. The current PCGS value is listed at \$15,500.





In 2015, two NGC-graded coins without CAC brought \$22,325 and \$32,900. We know this coin is going to see strong bidding, keep in mind that the sole FINEST MS67+ has not sold in auction, and may not for some time, making this SUPERB GEM worthy of inclusion in a very high end set.

### PCGS# 6591 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+





### LOT 221 50C 1934-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

Clearly an impeccable GEM 34-S--everything about this coin is exceptional and the quality truly borders on SUPERB!

The sharply struck and satiny smooth fields that surround the devices are enlivened by a pearly, brilliant luster that glows all over. Every detail is RAZOR sharp, with bold definition everywhere; on every line in the drapery, even Liberty's thumb The blistering lustrous surfaces are UNTONED and totally vibrant with a stunning brilliance. The eye appeal is remarkable and memorable for its SUPERB look!

PCGS 165, NGC 40, CAC 42. PCGS has graded 25 in MS66+ with just nine MS67s graded finer. Prior to the pastel toned example we sold in our November 2018 Regency Auction, the last PCGS/CAC example sold in the 2018 ANA auction for \$9,600. The average APR for the 9 PCGS/CAC auction appearances going back to July 2011 is \$7,636, well above the current Collector's Universe value. Keep in mind that a PCGS/CAC MS67 will cost \$25,000+. A real prize for the advanced collector of Walkers, this amazing 34-S will find itself at home in one of the finest sets!



### LOT 222

## 50C 1936 PCGS MS67+ CAC

There is no question this high end Walker sat undisturbed from the day it left the Mint. The sharply struck devices stand out against pristine surfaces that show only some delicate golden and amber hues. Impeccable blazing silver mint brilliance. The eye appeal is wonderful!

PCGS 201, NGC 119, CAC 100. PCGS has graded 18 in 67+ and only 2 finer. The most recent example to sell in auction sold for \$3,643 in our November 2018 Regency Auction; the one before that brought \$4,080 in the 2018 FUN auction. Prior to that, one sold in the 2017 ANA auction for \$4,935. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,500. Keep in mind that the last 68 sold in 1990! Good luck!

PCGS# 6598 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





### **LOT 223** 50C 1937-D PCGS MS67+ CAC

WOW! It is hard to imagine a finer example! One look at this beautiful and totally original SUPERB GEM and you know it is very high end. It is a real prize for the collector of amazing Walkers.

Both sides are awash in a vibrantly radiant mint luster that beams from all over. Both sides display a marvelous ring of rainbow toning at the peripheries, which then blend to a clear gold in the centers.

Sharply struck devices stand out against the satin smooth surfaces adding to the amazing eye appeal.

PCGS 83, NGC 38, CAC 37. There are only five listed at PCGS in MS67+ and just a single MS68 graded finer. LRCA had the honor of selling the most recent example, a coin that sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction for \$19,975. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$17,500. The sole MS68 at PCGS is not CAC approved, never sold in auction, and according to CU, worth \$60,000 more! The presently offered beauty is a great coin for the advanced collector and we can see it bringing a very strong price when the hammer falls.

PCGS# 6602 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+





**LOT 225** 50C 1938-D PCGS MS66+ CAC

Another wonderful, totally original, SUPERB GEM! With a vivid satin sheen in the fields, the devices are sharply struck and offer bold definition. An ever so subtle clear gold patina lightly dusts both sides. The surfaces are clean, essentially free of any defect, and are truly a delight to behold.

PCGS 536, NGC 119, CAC 147. There are only 55 coins graded in MS66+ at PCGS and 11 at NGC. The most recent PCGS MS66+ CAC we sold was in our September 2018 Regency Auction, realizing \$2,056 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,400. The value more than doubles in MS67--GOOD LUCK!

PCGS# 6605 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

### **LOT 224** 50C 1938 PCGS MS67 CAC

A brilliant, gleaming, satiny luster beams all over. The surfaces are, as expected at the SUPERB GEM level, smooth and free from any distracting marks or ticks or anything. The devices are sharply struck. The eye appeal is SUPERB in every way.

PCGS 101, NGC 40, CAC 34. There are only half a dozen coins graded finer. The most recent example to sell was the one we sold in September 2018 for \$1,763. Only six coins are graded finer, the MS67+Duckor coin being the most recent one to sell, realizing \$10,869 in our November 2018 Regency Auction. With such a bid spread in the half grade, this coin does represent a great value. Good luck!

PCGS# 6604 | ESTIMATE: \$1,700+





LOT 226 50C 1944-D PCGS MS67+ CAC

This is a very high end and magnificent SUPERB GEM, tied for second FINEST graded at PCGS. Brilliant lustrous surfaces have a bold satiny frost on both sides. Well struck and ultra smooth and clean, the eye appeal is very strong, further enhanced by icy blue and delicate yellow-gold toning that frames the obverse with a dramatic effect. This coin has a superb look that will delight any collector of very high end Walkers.

PCGS 307, NGC 232, CAC 158. PCGS has graded 18 in MS67+ and just a single MS68 graded finer. There is a range of APRs, with one selling for \$5,040 in the 2018 FUN auction and one at \$3,732 in February 2018. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,750. The sole MS68 has never sold in auction. This SUPERB coin is worthy of a world class collection and will see very strong bidding when it crosses the block. Good luck!

PCGS# 6622 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





LOT 227 50C 1945-S PCGS MS66+

A magnificent toned 45-S half! Vibrantly lustrous silver surfaces have an arch of violet-blue and amber-gold tone. A little weakness is noted at the central devices as usually seen and the surfaces are very smooth and possess a very high end look. Worthy of a strong bid from the toned Walker collector, this one is gorgeous!

PCGS# 6626 | ESTIMATE: \$350+





# LOT 228 50C 1946 PCGS MS67+ CAC This coin could have and should have been an MS68 based on its WILD color alone! Obviously PCGS said no. All we can say is there are SUPERB GEM

Walkers, then there is this coin.

Amazing surfaces are extremely clean and are satiny smooth. The dreaded right field has a tiny frost break and is not hacked up. A glowing satiny luster beams vividly from all over. An amazing "bulls eye" formed from circular toning rings of deep russet/red (yes red)/baby blue/gold open

into off white centers on the obverse. On our 1-10 color (10 is the best) we used for the incredible Northern Lights Morgans we rank this coin a 10! Yes a full knockout 10! Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and standout with lots of genuine frost. The eye appeal is memorable and ranks the best ever for any Walker!

PCGS 77, NGC 47, CAC 38. PCGS has graded 9 in MS67+. None are graded higher. The last one sold for \$12,925 in July 2016 and was nowhere close to this one. We fully expect this coin to bring a world record price! Good luck!

PCGS# 6627 | ESTIMATE: \$12,500+





LOT 229 50C 1946-S PCGS MS67 CAC

We easily grade this piece a VERY HIGH END MS67!

This coin is NOT your typical 1946-S. It is super clean and satiny smooth surfaces highlight both sides. The dreaded right field is clean to the naked eye with only the slightest contact visible. The luster is full with a strong, glowing brilliance. Both sides are a GEM creamy original white color. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck. The eye appeal is great!

PCGS 84, NGC 71, CAC 35. These have been spanked so hard over the last few years yet it is near impossible to find pieces as nice as this. The most recent PCGS CAC piece to sell in a Legend Auction brought \$2,938 in September 2018. This coin is pure Legend quality and we would put it in the finest set!

PCGS# 6629 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





LOT 230 50C 1941 PCGS PR67+ CAC

A lovely, original example with flashy, watery mirrors that beam from all over. A hint of iridescent toning graces the peripheries on both sides, and even under a strong glass, we cannot find anything worthy of mention. The eye appeal is very nice and better than usually encountered for sure.

PCGS 407, NGC 331, CAC 205. PCGS has graded 34 in PR67+ and NGC has graded 11 in 67+. Only 30 coins have been graded finer at PCGS. The last three examples that were PCGS/CAC realized between \$1,234 and \$1,680 and before that one brought \$1,800 in November 2017. This would make a wonderful addition to any Proof Walker collection. Good luck!

PCGS# 6641 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





LOT 231 50C 1942 PCGS PR67 CAC

Superb and ultra high end for the assigned grade. Brilliant, glassy mirrors beam beautifully on both sides and are ultra clean and totally flawless. Sharply struck and wonderfully superb eye appeal.

PCGS 902, NGC 824, CAC 470. The last example that we sold brought \$770 in our October 2018 Premier Session, and that coin did not have the stunning eye appeal of the presently offered SUPERB GEM. The current PCGS value is \$750, but this one should sell for more!

PCGS# 6642 | ESTIMATE: \$700+

# LEGEND'S AUCTION SCHEDULE

Official Auction for the PCGS Members Only Show

3/21/19 | Regency Auction 31 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: February 4th

5/16/19 | Regency Auction 32 New Orleans, LA - Harrah's Consignment Deadline: April 1st

6/27/19 | Regency Auction 33 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: May 20th

9/26/19 | Regency Auction 34 Las Vegas, NV - The Bellagio Consignment Deadline: August 19th

12/12/19 | Regency Auction 35 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: October 28th

For more information about consigning, contact Julie Abrams (julie@legendauctions.com) or Greg Cohen (greg@legendauctions.com)

### LOT 232 50C 1952 PCGS MS67+ FBL CAC

This is the FINEST 1952 half dollar graded at either service. it is alone at the top of the grading scale.

Stunning, flashy mint luster blazes on both sides; with blinding flashing cartwheels. Original Mint Set toning on both sides has a wonderful iridescent patination. The surfaces are essentially flawless and the eye appeal is spectacular in every way!

PCGS 30, NGC 6, CAC 12. This is the ONLY MS67+ FBL and it has never sold in auction. Collector's Universe has not assigned a value as yet, but if previous auction results for other dates are any indication, this coin will see record bidding. We sold a 1949-S in MS67+ FBL (POP 3/0) for \$31,725 in our September 2018 Regency Auction on a \$10,000-\$14,000 estimate. In that same auction, we sold a MONSTER 1958 in MS67+ FBL for a series RECORD price of \$129,500! While this one is not in that class, it is in the rarified MS67+ FBL which is the highest grade recorded for the entire series. If you are working on the #1 PCGS Registry Set of Franklin Halves, you NEED this coin! It is likely that our estimate will prove to be very conservative! Good luck!

PCGS# 86661 | ESTIMATE: \$21,000+







### LOT 233 50C 1956 MS66+ FBL CAC

This is not just a monster, it is a mega monster beyond what most people can comprehend! Mother Nature wanted to make sure she did her best work ever on this piece-and she did. We equate this monster to the 1904-O PCGS MS67 (the second finest in the Northern Collection) which brought a record \$39,850.00 (vs the 80-S PCGS MS68+ CAC that brought \$60,000.00).

You all know about the 1958 PCGS MS67+ FBL CAC that realized an insane \$129,250.00 in our September Regency Sale. Listen to this story: the collector who consigned this coin is a known long time wild toner buyer. He came up to us with this coin shaking his head. "I was offered both coins (the 58) and I thought his coin was much better" Funny how life goes. You can see they most likely were from the same collection. The colors are identical. The only difference, this coin only graded a 66+ FBL as it has a microscopic tick or two (well hidden). The rest of the technical qualities are just fine. Regardless, this coin is to die to for for toner lovers!

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is honored to have been consigned this "mini me" to the grand 1958. Take nothing away from this coin. It has the same \$100,000.00 colors as the other. If you are going to bid, be prepared for really strong bidding that could make the earth shake! It was very hard to figure a realistic estimate (we may be very low).

Good luck!

PCGS# 3790 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+

### **LOT 234**

### 50C 1957-D PCGS MS67

This vibrantly toned SUPERB GEM has a look that is a near match to the one we sold in our September 2018 Premier Session auction that was CAC approved, but the color on the obverse of this coin is a touch more vibrant.

Splashes of multi-hued iridescent toning with shades of blue, rose, gold, teal, and emerald offer a wonderful melange of iridescence. We rate the colors as an 8.5+ on our 10-point scale and the eye appeal is wonderful.





PCGS 6, NGC 7. The aforementioned coin (not this one) sold for \$1,265 and prior to that, one sold for \$1,410 in August 2014. The current Collector's Universe value is \$1,750. NONE are finer at either service and this one has a great look, and is worthy of a very strong bid!

PCGS# 6673 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





### LOT 235 \$1 1800 PCGS AU53 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a VERY high end Draped Bust dollar. Showing just a touch of wear, this coin is drenched in wonderful and original rich toning, likely from storage in an old collector envelope. As you rotate the surfaces in a light, shades of cobalt, mauve, teal, and slate come to life. Despite the advanced state of the dies (see below) this coin was very well struck, showing bolder definition than the Bowers Encyclopedia photo.

B-18a, BB-193. This is the very scarce Die State IV which shows considerable breaking of the dies in several places, causing distortions in stars 2 and 3 and in the corresponding areas of the reverse. Individual die cracks can be seen on both sides as well, cracking after the dies were also heavily clashed, with a sharp impression of Liberty's drapery above the eagle's right wing and into the clouds. All of these mint made die flaws give this coin a lot of character and add to the marvelous eye appeal.

PCGS 36, NGC 32, CAC 7. Our consignor purchased this great looking coin in 2013 for \$13,500. Looking at the previous APRs there are no records for this later state that we can find, nor are any of the Bowers "Notable Specimens" except for the ex BG Johnson; W.G.C. (F.C.C. Boyd); Ostheimer 3rd collection specimen (called "MS60") from this late die state. We cannot be sure if this coin matches for sure from that September 1968 catalog's black and white plate. The definition seems to be similar, but the toning pattern is somewhat different. A great pedigree research project for the advanced collector, and we think this coin will bring a very strong bid when it crosses the block.

Good luck!

PCGS# 6887 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+



# TES O

### LOT 236 \$1 1803 LARGE 3 PCGS AU58 CAC

In the old days (when coins were raw), this coin was probably called a choice BU. To the naked eye, it has NO visible wear. We certainly call it a SUPERB GEM AU! When you see it, you'll be forever in love with it.

Ultra clean and smooth surfaces exhibit NO problems of any size, anywhere. Even using a strong glass you will only be more impressed with what you do NOT see. A surprising full booming luster greatly enhances totally original colors of moderate pale navy/deep pewter/pale gold/deep champagne that swirl all over. There is no wear or discoloration of the high points. In fact all wear is well hidden. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and do have light frost. The eye appeal is not only sensational, but this coin looks better than a few MS61's we have ever seen!

PCGS 3, NGC 4, CAC 2. PCGS has graded only a possible 8 coins higher. We cannot stress the extreme rarity and even more extreme HIGH END quality of this coin. NO PCGS CAC piece has ever sold at auction. In fact, the last auction record for ANY AU 58 LG Date was back in 2010! This coin last sold for \$25,300 in a Heritage sale in April 2009 (that is 8 years ago now-which does make this coin fresh again). The price guides are just wrong on this coin since none have recently traded. Once this coin is sold, good luck finding anything remotely similar!

PCGS# 6901 | ESTIMATE: \$25,000+





LOT 237 \$1 1840 PCGS AU58+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Our consignor bought this stunning "GEM" AU58 from our September 2015 Regency Auction, lot 195, where we described it as: "Stunning color and luster! First year of issue and handsome as this coin ever comes with deep blue and crimson peripheral toning changing over to russet and gold toward the centers. The strike is sharp enough to bring up the knobs on the eagle's claws and each of the radial star centers. An absolute delight to behold and destined for an advanced Liberty Seated Dollar collection."

PCGS 31, NGC 44, CAC 8. ONLY 3 coins are graded AU58+ and we have had the pleasure of selling two of them; this one was the only CAC-approved one, realizing \$6,169 in September 2015. Since then, a non-"+" AU58 PCGS/CAC sold in March 2016 for \$6,463.

PCGS# 6926 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+



T\$1 1876-S TRADE, PCGS MS64

Brilliant, vibrant, and lustrous, this fully CHOICE Trade dollar has a really bold look. Frosty white surfaces show a rolling cartwheel luster on both sides that accentuate the sharply defined devices. A scattering of microscopic marks are noted with the aid of a 9x loupe, there really is nothing visible to the naked eye that would detract from the eye appeal.

PCGS 115, NGC 89. This coin has two previously recorded auction records, one in October 2008 for \$4,025 and one in December 2015 for \$3,525. More recently auctioned examples have sold in the \$1,800 to \$3,360 range and the current PCGS value seems to be an average listed at \$2,500. VERY RARE any finer, this is a perfect grade for the type collector looking for a nice example for a Mint State coin.

PCGS# 7043 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





LOT 238 \$1 1841 PCGS MS61 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A high grade survivor from this mintage of 173,000; this is a real Mint State coin, and has a really nice look even with its more modest grade. Frosty lustrous surfaces have a warm glow in the fields. Showing only the most minute weakness of the highest points of the design elements. The surfaces are remarkably clean for the assigned grade and is worthy of a premium bid.

PCGS 12, NGC 17, CAC 3. This is the ONLY PCGS-graded MS61 to ever sell in auction, realizing \$3,525. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,650. A nice early date Seated dollar worthy of any type or date set.

PCGS# 6927 | ESTIMATE: \$3,400+





LOT 240 T\$1 1882 TRADE. PCGS PR65 CAM

Cameo GEM examples of this date are not often seen at auction or on the bourse floor. Indeed, no PCGS PR65 CAM has sold in auction since 2010.

Highly reflective, watery mirrored fields boast an intense flash that beams back when viewed in a light. A delicate dusting of silvery-white and clear gold patina can be seen on both sides. Every detail is fully struck up and frosty, providing a bold contrast against the mirrors. This coin has a wonderful eye appeal that is unmarred by any lines, marks, or unsightly toning that often plagues this type.

PCGS 10, NGC 28. The last example sold in February 2010 for \$10,925 and prior to that, the most recent sold in September 2007. The current PCGS value is listed at \$7,500. RARE any finer! This is an ideal GEM Proof for a complete set of Trade dollars!

PCGS# 87062 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+



Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to have been consigned another wonderful, complete collection of Morgan Dollars: The Star City CAC Morgan Collection, which is currently the #7 set on the PCGS Set Registry. Morgan dollars are among the most popular of all series in American numismatics, and it is not hard to understand why. The Star City Collection joins the ranks of other Morgan Collections that Legend Rare Coin Auctions has had the honor of offering, including: Sunnywood-Simpson, Coronet, A.W., Northern Lights, P.F.M., and most recently RanJack. Each of these sets are similar and at the same time quite different, which is what makes collecting Morgan Dollars so popular.

What sets the Star City Collection apart from many other sets is that the collector had a very specific look he liked. Not only is each and every coin in the set PCGS graded and CAC-verified, but each coin has a sharp strike, brilliant untoned lustrous, clean problem free surfaces. While not uniform in grade, they are uniform in technical and aesthetic quality.

The Star City collector had this to say about building his set and the path he took:

"I started this set about 10 years ago. It was a lot of fun and very educational putting it together! I wanted to put together an all CAC set of quality Morgans.

Of course, all coins are PCGS CAC but that was just the first cut. I wanted untoned, white coins. And I abhorred marks in the cheek area. Strike was very important to me as well, I wanted the breast feathers to be as crisp as possible for the date and mint.

I spent time on each and every coin, attempting to find the best coin available for my pocketbook. Over the course of the last decade, many coins were upgraded, some even multiple times (I would even replace a coin with an example of the same grade if I felt it was a better example, and there were times I would pass up on a higher grade coin if my lower grade piece was superior).

The coins in this collection are of superior quality, and to obtain superior examples of coins as a collector, you often have to pay a premium price. Each coin was purchased one at a time, carefully considering the technical and aesthetic qualities that I desired. Sometimes it took years to find the 'right coin'.

Any collection can always be improved if you have the funds. I have reached a point in my collecting that the time had come to explore other areas of collecting, rather than spending substantial sums for minor upgrades. I am very proud of what I was able to assemble!

I sincerely hope that other collectors enjoy these wonderful Morgan dollars as much as I have. These historic coins always gave me a delight, now I hope the new owners will have a pride of ownership of these Morgan dollars that I have."

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to offer the Star City Collection and we know that there are many opportunities for collectors to start or upgrade their sets. We anticipate there will be very strong bidding when this set comes up for sale. We wish everyone the best of luck in their bidding!





### **LOT 241**

### \$1 1878 8 TAIL FEATHERS. VAM-21. PCGS MS65+ CAC

The "broken R & B" variety, as noted on the insert. A fully GEM quality example of this variety. Highly lustrous, brilliant silver surfaces are unmarred by any serious marks or ticks and the silver surfaces are virtually untoned. The devices are well struck and the eye appeal is excellent.

PCGS 872, NGC 352, CAC 118. Overall for the 8 TF, PCGS has graded 49 in MS65+. For the VAM-21 variety, 2 have graded MS65+ and only a single MS66 is graded finer. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,200 for 8TF in 65+ and \$3,300 for the VAM variety. The last PCGS/CAC MS65+ 8TF sold for \$2,640 in a July 2018 auction sale. These are very rare any finer so do not let this opportunity pass you by.

PCGS# 7072 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





**LOT 243** \$1 1878 7TF REVERSE OF 1879. PCGS MS65+ CAC EX BELLA

Bold lustrous cartwheels roll across the smooth, clean surfaces. A dusting of the palest gold can be seen at the upper obverse periphery. Sharply struck, frosty devices are generally free of any distracting marks. In all, this GEM has a brilliant, fresh sliver look that cannot be beat.

PCGS 502, NGC 182, CAC 53. PCGS has graded 38 in MS65+. The most recent CAC-approved example was graded by NGC and sold for \$2,160 in November 2017; the last PCGS-graded example sold for \$2,233 in the 2015 ANA auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,650. VERY RARE any finer, with only 30 graded MS66 at PCGS and one in MS67.

PCGS# 7076 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





### **LOT 242**

### \$1 1878 7TF REVERSE OF 1878. PCGS MS65 CAC

What a high end MS65 example! Bold lustrous surfaces beam on the obverse while the reverse is more frosty. Hints of reflection can be seen in the obverse fields, contrasting with the razor sharp devices. With the aid of a strong glass a few tiny marks are noted, but none are serious, nor are any of them in the prime focal areas.

PCGS 964, NGC 462, CAC 119. The last PCGS/CAC MS65 to sell in auction brought \$780 in the 2018 ANA auction; prior to that one, there was one sold in November 2017 auction for \$1,140. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$875 and we think this one could bring a premium above that. Scarce any finer, we believe there is some duplication in the population figures in hopes of getting a higher grade.

PCGS# 7074 | ESTIMATE: \$750+





### **LOT 244**

### \$1 1878 7/8TF STRONG. VAM-40. PCGS MS65+ CAC

This is the FINEST certified example of this variety, and is the PCGS CoinFacts plate coin. This is a coin that really comes to life in the light. Rotating the coin's magnificent surfaces, the brilliant luster shows off a flashy, almost fully Prooflike reflection on both sides. The devices are fully struck and are almost fully frosted, giving this GEM a very distinctive look. A touch of frosty-iridescent white/gold tone can be seen on both sides, which attests to its originality. A few stray marks account for the assigned grade, but they do not affect the wonderful eye appeal.

PCGS 430, NGC 96, CAC 49. Overall for the 7/8 Strong type, 30 have been graded in MS65+. This is the FINEST VAM-40 graded by PCGS and is worthy of inclusion in the finest set of Morgan dollar varieties. The most recent MS65+ PCGS/CAC to sell in auction realized \$4,348 in our July 2018 Regency Auction, as part of the RanJack Collection. Prior to that, the last one to sell brought \$3,600 in September 2017. Collector's Universe does not list a value for the VAM number in this grade. Good luck.

PCGS# 7078 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





### LOT 245 \$1 1878-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

WOW! What a fabulous SUPERB GEM 1878-CC dollar! This coin is the real deal MS66+!

Sensational surfaces are silky smooth and are ultra clean; with a strong glass, just a few pinpoint ticks can be found. A bold, glowing luster illuminates the frosty white surfaces all over. Miss Liberty and the details all standout with full strikes and thick frost. Her check is really clean

and will delight even the pickiest of old timers! The eye appeal is terrific!

PCGS 396, NGC 206, CAC 66. PCGS has graded 51 in MS66+ and just six graded finer. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold in in February 2018 for \$9,600 and we sold one in May 2017 for \$11,456. The current PCGS value is listed at \$12,500 and this gorgeous, lustrous, SUPERB GEM should bring a bid close to that level, it is very high end!

PCGS# 7080 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+









LOT 246 \$1 1878-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Brilliant and boasting the famed flashy luster that the San Francisco Mint Morgan dollars are coveted for. Sharply struck devices stand out against the satin smooth surfaces. On naked eye inspection there are no visible flaws, it takes a powerful loupe to locate any ticks worthy of mention. The reverse shows some traces of an ancient fingerprint, attesting to the fact this coin has not been dipped or otherwise conserved.

PCGS 864, NGC 492, CAC 296. The most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction brought \$840 in an October 2018 auction; prior to that, the last PCGS/CAC coins sold in June 2018 in the \$900-\$1,320 range. All well above the current Collector's Universe value of \$725. RARE any finer, this is a great coin for any collector of GEM Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7082 | ESTIMATE: \$800+

### LOT 247 \$1 1879 PCGS MS65 CAC

Bold cartwheel luster rolls smoothly along the GEM quality surfaces. There are no distracting marks or ticks that take away from the high end visual allure. A dusting of the clearest gold can be seen, but this GEM will fit nicely in any set of untoned Morgan dollars.

PCGS 1282, NGC 664, CAC 169. The most recent example brought \$840 in the 2018 ANA auction; most APRs are in the \$525-\$550 range and the current PCGS Price is \$550. This is a very pleasing coin for any collector on a more modest budget.

PCGS# 7084 | ESTIMATE: \$500+

### LOT 248 \$1 1879-CC PCGS MS64+ CAC

A very pleasing near GEM!
The luster on this one is bold and frosty, with a strong cartwheel effect that brings to life some pearly-silver-gold iridescent accents. The fields do show some trivial bag marks which account for the assigned grade, but none are distracting, nor do they take away from the exceptional eye appeal.

The 1879-CC is a very popular and scarce Carson

City mint dollar, particularly so in grades approaching GEM as here.



PCGS 857, NGC 398, CAC 138. Only 63 of the PCGS coins are graded as MS64+. We do believe there is a large number of resubmissions of the same coin in hopes of receiving a full MS65 grade. The last one to sell brought \$15,000 in March 2018--and have sold for as much as \$19,975. The PCGS value is currently listed at \$14,500. With its very bold and strong eye appeal, this coin represents a great value for any collector who does not want to spend \$25,000 or more for a PCGS/CAC MS65. Good luck!

PCGS# 7086 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+



### LOT 249 \$1 1879-CC CAPPED DIE. VAM-3. PCGS MS63 CAC

A TOP 100 VAM variety, popularly referred to as the Capped Die, but in reality is a repunching of the CC mint mark.

This exceptionally CHOICE Mint State example that offers a bold mint luster and a touch of the slightest pearly-goldenpeach hue, especially on the reverse. Nicely struck, just the barest traces of weakness on the hair curls, noted for accuracy. A light line on

Liberty's frosty cheek attests to the grade. A wonderful example of this important Carson City issue.

PCGS 397, NGC 220, CAC 52. The most recent CAC-approved example to sell in auction realized \$7,200 in an NGC encapsulation in a June 2018 auction. The most recent PCGS/CAC coin sold in a January 2018 internet only auction for \$6,500 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$8,000. Very scarce any finer, this date is always very popular among collectors and the present CHOICE example is worthy of any carefully chosen set. We anticipate strong bidding.

PCGS# 7088 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+





### LOT 250 \$1 1879-O PCGS MS64+ CAC

Check out this borderline GEM! We have looked this coin over and over and cannot find a single reason why it is not graded MS65! While we make no guarantees, this coin has a full GEM look, with just a single tick or two noted. The luster is extra vibrant for a coin of this grade and the strike is full and complete, and the eye appeal is very high end for the grade.

PCGS 2476, NGC 1369, CAC 253. PCGS has graded 132 in MS64+ and this date is very scarce any finer. The last three PCGS coins were CAC-approved and sold in the \$690 to \$1,080 range and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$775. A 65 would cost over \$3,800 with a CAC bean. Worthy of a high end set.





# \$1 1879-S REVERSE OF 1878. PCGS MS64 CAC

Full, beaming cartwheel luster rolls along both sides of this near-GEM 79-S dollar. Sharply impressed design elements are frosty and the cheek is generally smooth and clean. The eye appeal is very strong for the grade; this is a high end MS64 that will delight any collector.

PCGS 619, NGC 247, CAC 80. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$1,560 in October 2018 and prior to that, one sold for \$1,680 in December 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,800. The 79-S, Rev. of 78 is VERY RARE any finer. A great coin for any Morgan dollar set!

PCGS# 7094 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+

PCGS# 7090 | ESTIMATE: \$700+





### LOT 252 \$1 1879-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

This is a SUPERB, BRILLIANT GEM! Looking as bright and lustrous as the day the dies came together and this one fell of the press. The surfaces are free of any distracting marks anywhere and the devices are sharply struck up on both sides. The eye appeal is very high end and it is essentially of a higher grade quality.

PCGS 1712, NGC 2064, CAC 503. PCGS has graded 151 in MS67+. The last three PCGS/CAC examples sold in the \$1,020 to \$1,440 range. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,250. Keep in mind a PCGS/CAC MS68 will cost \$5,000 or more! Worthy of a great Morgan dollar collection.

PCGS# 7092 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





### LOT 253 \$1 1880 PCGS MS65+ CAC

Despite a large mintage of 12.6 million, the 1880 silver dollar is surprisingly uncommon in GEM grades when compared with other similar large mintage dates. This one is highly lustrous and boasting a crisp strike which creates a very pleasing looking coin that is free of any distracting marks.

PCGS 1388, NGC 703, CAC 151. PCGS has graded 74 in MS65+ and there are relatively few graded finer. The last one to sell brought \$660 in June 2018 and before that, one sold for \$840 in February 2018. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$800, and that doubles in MS66. Good luck!

PCGS# 7096 | ESTIMATE: \$600+





### **LOT 254**

### \$1 1880 VAM 10. 8/7 BIT. PCGS MS65+ CAC

A boldly lustrous and decently struck example, one of 2 graded MS65 and none finer for the VAM 10 variety. Untoned and boasting a great eye appeal.

PCGS 1385, NGC 703, CAC 152. There are 74 graded MS65+ at PCGS for the date. For the regular date, the CU value in 65+ is \$800. This coin sold for \$1,175 in our May 2017 Regency Auction. We think this GEM will entice any VAM collector.

PCGS# 7096 | ESTIMATE: \$750+





### LOT 255

### \$1 1880-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

Blazing white, untoned silver luster shines with SUPERB satiny fields and frosted devices. Simply put, this coin gleams! Close examination does reveal a few tiny ticks here and there, but none are singularly distracting.

PCGS 1,028, NGC 198, CAC 192. Includes 135 PCGS MS66+. The current PCGS Price Guide lists the value as \$3,250. The last PCGS/CAC to sell in auction realized \$2,703 in our September 2018 Regency Auction and keep in mind that this date is VERY RARE any finer, with just 36 graded higher, and any PCGS/CAC MS67 will cost \$17,500+ (the last one sold in our December 2017 Regency Auction for \$18,800. This 80-CC provides a great value point for advanced collectors not wanting to spend five figures for a 67. We anticipate strong bidding on this borderline SUPERB CC cartwheel.

PCGS# 7100 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





### LOT 256

### \$1 1880/79-CC REVERSE OF 1878. PCGS MS65+ CAC

What a great, original GEM example! Delicate champagne toning is dusted evenly over the high quality surfaces. Sharply struck up and wonderfully frosted devices have just some light weakness at the highest central portions of the devices. The surfaces are very clean and have very few minor ticks, but none are distracting and the eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 625, NGC 147, CAC 56. There are 35 examples graded MS65+ at PCGS. The last CAC-approved MS65+s that sold in auction were in 2016 realizing \$3,290 and \$3,525 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at only \$2,250--the value jumps to \$5,750 in MS66. A great looking coin for any serious Morgan dollar specialist.

PCGS# 7108 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+





### LOT 257

### \$1 1880-CC 8/HIGH 7, VAM 5. PCGS MS66+ CAC

What a glorious, frosty white GEM Top 100 VAM! The luster in the fields blazes a rolling cartwheel on both sides. Nicely struck devices have a wonderful, frosted texture on both sides. A tiny break in the frost on Liberty's cheek is really all that keeps this coin from a higher grade. The eye appeal is exceptional.

PCGS 115, NGC 20, CAC 40. There are 21 coins graded MS66+. The most recent example to sell in auction brought \$3,750 in a March 2017 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$5,500. This variety is VERY RARE any finer, the most recent MS67 sold in June 2018 for \$40,800! Bound for a great Morgan dollar set.

PCGS# 7102 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+





### **LOT 258**

### \$1 1880-CC VAM-6, 8/LOW 7. PCGS MS 66 CAC

Here is a very attractive GEM example of this Top 100 VAM, noted for the low placement of the underlying 7 under the second 8 in 1880. Sharply struck devices are boldly frosted and stand out against the vibrant, rolling cartwheel luster. There are a few tiny hints of contact, which account for the grade, but none are singularly distracting or affect the bold eye appeal.

PCGS 64, NGC 18, CAC 23. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$3,055 in the 2016 ANA auction, but the most recent PCGS-graded 8/Low 7 sold for \$4,800 and was NOT CAC. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,500. Bound for an impressive collection of Morgan dollar varieties, this GEM is worthy of a very high ranking PCGS Registry Set.





### LOT 259

### \$1 1880-CC 8/7, REVERSE OF 78. PCGS MS64+ CAC

Sharply struck and highly frosted, this is a very pleasing near-GEM quality example of the VAM-7, a "Hit List" variety. A delicate iridescent toning is noted, mostly on the reverse, but it does not impede the bold luster. Just a tiny graze around the eye is all that keeps this from an even higher grade.

PCGS 325, 1388 NGC CAC 32. There are only 23 graded MS64+. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,650 and the most recent example sold for \$1,560 in March 2018. A pleasing example for any collection of Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7110 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+







### LOT 260

### \$1 1880-O PCGS MS64+ CAC EX WURT I

Bordering on the GEM category, this flashy lustrous 80-O has a distinctive, semi-PL reflection in the obverse fields. Nicely struck, we note just a few minor ticks; even still we have seen MS65s of less conditionally rare dates that are not as clean as this 80-O. In MS65, this date is VERY RARE!

PCGS 1681, NGC 948, CAC 224. There are 163 graded in MS64+ at PCGS and we believe that there is a lot of duplication trying to get a 65 grade (note there are only 49 graded finer in all grades up to MS66). The most recent example we sold was the RanJack coin in our July 2018 Regency Auction, which realized \$4,113; prior to that the PFM Collection coin realized \$3,408 in May 2018. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,750. A PCGS/CAC MS65 will cost you \$22,000+ if you can find one! A great coin that will end up in a very carefully assembled GEM Morgan set.

PCGS# 7114 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+





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### \$1 1880-O 80/79 PCGS MS64+ CAC

Conditionally very RARE with just ten coins graded any finer at PCGS, and just glancing at this essentially GEM-quality example, the Star City collector carefully selected this coin for the set. It is very high end! Radiating, cartwheel luster swirls all over on both sides of this frosty and well struck example. The eye appeal is very high end and is not affected by the insignificant contact that we see with a strong glass.

PCGS 46, NGC 25, CAC 15. There are only 8 graded MS64+ at PCGS and the most recent PCGS MS64+ CAC sold in the 2017 FUN auction for \$2,350; more recently a PCGS/CAC MS64 sold in June 2018 for \$3,360. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,000. Keep in mind that the last PCGS MS65 sold nearly a dozen years ago! Good luck!

PCGS# 7116 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





LOT 262 \$1 1880-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

SUPERB in every way! Like most 80-S dollars this one has a superior look with intense luster and a bold strike that imparts a wonderful visual allure. One microscopic hairline is all that keeps this SUPERB GEM from an MS68 holder!

PCGS 2309, NGC 3335, CAC 953. PCGS has graded 301 in MS67+. There is a wide range of APRs in recent months, from \$1,050 in October 2018 to \$2,160 in the 2018 ANA auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,600. There is a remarkable number of MS68s graded, but even still anything finer with a CAC sticker will cost around \$5,000 or more. Great for a very high end type set or for a wonderful set of Morgans. Good luck!

PCGS# 7118 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





\$1 1880/79-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

A white-hot, blazing cartwheel luster blooms on both sides with a fiery, blinding, almost PL reflection. Nicely struck devices throughout, the surfaces are exceptionally clean for the assigned grade. We love the look of this coin.

PCGS 190, NGC 60, CAC 42. PCGS has graded 17 in MS66+. The only CAC approved example to sell in auction was the beautifully toned Northern Lights coin we sold in December 2016 for \$4,465. Since then a PCGS coin without CAC approval sold for \$2,280 in September 2018; the PFM MS67 sold in our May 2018 Regency Auction for \$2,938. We value this coin well above the current \$875 Collector's Universe value. Good luck!

PCGS# 7120 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





LOT 264 \$1 1880/9-S PCGS MS67 CAC EX CALIFORNIA

Typical for any 80-S, the presently offered SUPERB GEM has a brilliant silver cartwheel luster that captivates the eye as it is rotated. Sharply struck and very eye appealing with only a very limited amount of iridescence.

PCGS 67, NGC 12, CAC 32. The last one we sold was the PFM coin that sold in our May 2018 Regency Auction for \$2,703. Since then, two examples have sold, one in July 2018 for \$2,160 and prior to that, one sold in June 2018 for \$3,360; each result is well beyond the current Collector's Universe value of \$1,750.

PCGS# 7122 | ESTIMATE: \$1,750+





LOT 265 \$1 1881 PCGS MS65 CAC

Brilliantly lustrous with nicely defined details. A soft russet-tan and gold iridescent toning on both sides. Nice eye appeal overall for the grade.

PCGS 1285, NGC 664, CAC 177. The most recent CAC-coin to sell was graded by NGC, selling for \$408 in October 2018; prior to that a PCGS/CAC coin sold for \$384 in August 2018. We sold one in our March 2018 Premier Session for \$633. Scarce finer, this is a great grade for any collector on a budget. Good luck.

PCGS# 7124 | ESTIMATE: \$400+





### LOT 266 \$1 1881-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

Very high end and mint fresh! This exceptional GEM has a lot to offer any collector! Boldly struck and thickly frosted reliefs stand out against the vibrantly lustrous fields. A teeny graze is all that keeps this stunningly brilliant silver-white GEM from an even higher grade.

PCGS 2028, NGC 824, CAC 439. There are 326 graded in 66+ at PCGS. The three most recent PCGS/CAC examples sold for \$1,440 and \$1,560; the most recent one we sold realized \$1,760 in the July 2018 Premier Session. Very scarce any finer, this is a great grade and value level for most collectors and we anticipate lots of activity on it.

PCGS# 7126 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+





### LOT 267 \$1 1881-O PCGS MS65+ CAC EX ARIZONA

A real condition rarity at this grade and higher, the present 65+ is a Premium Quality GEM. A bold, radial cartwheel luster rolls vividly along both sides accenting the strongly defined details on both sides. Untoned, save for the palest blush of gold at the periphery. Otherwise, brilliant white silver surfaces are unmarred by any serious marks or breaks in the frost. The eye appeal is very bold.

PCGS 893, NGC 472, CAC 99. There are 79 graded MS65+ at PCGS, the most recent to sell in auction was in our January 2018 Premier Session, which realized \$1,815. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,150. Very RARE any finer, with just 48 graded finer, none finer than MS66+.

PCGS# 7128 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+





### LOT 268 \$1 1881-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

Here is a SUPERB Morgan dollar. While the 81-S is frequently seen, even in GEM, they are always in demand in these lofty grades. Sharply struck throughout, the details are crisply embossed. The surfaces are smooth and free of any distractions, anywhere. Even the cheek would be a delight to the pickiest of old timers!

PCGS 2583, NGC 4357, CAC 1020. There are 270 graded MS67+ at PCGS. A premium quality SUPERB GEM like this with its CAC endorsement should realize in excess of its current Collector's Universe price of \$1,150! We think this one could really run--GOOD LUCK!

PCGS# 7130 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





### LOT 269 \$1 1882 PCGS MS66 CAC

This is a very high end GEM 1882 dollar. Sharply struck devices are frosty and the fields show a bold, brilliant mint fresh luster. There are a few tiny ticks that we can see with a strong glass, but none are serious and the cheek is exceptionally clean.

PCGS 427, NGC 218, CAC 85. The most recent PCGS MS66 sold for \$1,238 in June 2018 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,000. RARE any finer, this great looking MS66 presents a great opportunity for any collector looking to get a very high end example for their set.

PCGS# 7132 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





LOT 270 \$1 1882-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

Another PQ GEM that has a very well matched look to the rest of the set. Boasting a "fresh from the mint" look, this highly lustrous and well struck 82-CC sat unmolested without obtaining any seriously distracting marks or ticks of any kind or size. The eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 1741, NGC 650, CAC 374. 204 are graded MS66+ at PCGS. The last PCGS/CAC MS66+ sold for \$1,920 in August 2018 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$1,650. RARE any finer, a PCGS/CAC MS67 will cost around \$10,000 (we sold the PFM coin in May 2018 for \$9,106 and Sotheby's sold the Stone Collection coin for \$15,000 in May 2018. This coin presents a great look at a price point most collectors can acquire.

PCGS# 7134 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 271 \$1 1882-O PCGS MS65 CAC

A brilliant, untoned, well struck, GEM 1882-O dollar. In the fields there is a nearly chrome-like reflection. The eye appeal is very nice for the grade.

PCGS 1162, NGC 488, CAC 96. The Stone Collection coin sold in May 2018 for \$875 and prior to that, the last PCGS/CAC coin sold in March 2018 for \$1,320. RARE any finer.

PCGS# 7136 | ESTIMATE: \$700+





### LOT 272 \$1 1882-O/S STRONG. VAM4. PCGS MS64+ CAC

We are pleased to present one of the FINEST 1882-O/S dollars that exists, bested by only three coins!

This bold, lustrous example of this major conditional rarity. Brilliant, frosty luster blooms on both sides of this popular variety. Velvety smooth surfaces show only the most minute traces of contact in the fields, but are generally free of any distractions. The cheek is ultra clean and smooth for the

assigned grade and it will please even the pickiest of Morgan dollar specialists!

PCGS 321, NGC 188, CAC 45. PCGS has graded 20 coins in MS64+ and only 3 coins finer, the finest is a single MS65+ that we just sold for \$64,625. We sold the last PCGS MS64+ CAC from the RanJack Collection in July 2018 for \$6,169. This eye appealing coin will certainly entice very strong bidding when it crosses the block! Remember, anything finer is going to cost \$45,000+! Good luck!

PCGS# 7138 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+





### LOT 273 \$1 1882-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

A resplendent SUPERB GEM that is virtually PRISTINE in every way! A radiant cartwheel luster blazes with a brilliance that is nearly blinding. We see only the slightest weakness of strike at the highest central portions of the design, and the surfaces are clean and free of any serious defect. The eye appeal is very high end!

PCGS 1132, NGC 1819, CAC 474. PCGS has graded just 133 in MS67+. Every PCGS/CAC example sold in the last 18 months have sold in the \$1,560 to \$2,640 range with the current Collector's Universe value listed at \$1,600. A great coin for any SUPERB Morgan dollar set. Worthy of a very strong bid!

PCGS# 7140 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





### LOT 275 \$1 1883-CC PCGS MS67 CAC

In this cataloger's opinion, this is a fantastic 83-CC and an ideal coin for the date and grade for inclusion in any carefully assembled set. A billowing, brilliant mint luster is fully radiant and blazing all over. One or two tiny ticks on the surfaces limit the grade to the lofty MS67 level presented here. The strike is mostly full, certainly complete for the date and the eye appeal is SUPERB in every way.

PCGS 227, NGC 126, CAC 83. The most recent PCGS/CAC coin to sell in auction realized \$4,583 in our September 2018 Regency Auction, and prior to that we sold one in our May 2018 Regency Auction for \$5,053. The current PCGS value is listed at \$4,750. VERY RARE any finer and keep in mind that a 67+ will cost around \$10,000! This coin presents a great coin at a great value!

PCGS# 7144 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





### LOT 274 \$1 1883 PCGS MS67+ CAC EX WURT I

This incredible, SUPERB GEM is very high end and among the top examples known! An exquisite, mint fresh luster blooms all over. The surfaces are of stunning high end quality devoid of any singular marks or ticks of any kind. The design elements are sharply struck with razor definition on both sides. The surfaces are so clean that they will delight even the pickiest of collectors.

PCGS 191, NGC 135, CAC 65. There are 31 graded in MS67+ at PCGS, the most recent to sell in auction was the RanJack Collection coin that appeared in our July 2018 Regency Auction, realizing \$7,050. Prior to that, one sold in June 2018 for \$5,760. Collector's Universe lists a value of \$7,250. EXCESSIVELY RARE any finer, with four in MS68 and the Coronet coin, the single finest a PCGS MS68+. A remarkable SUPERB GEM that is destined for inclusion in one of the FINEST sets of Morgan dollars! Do not let this opportunity pass you by!

PCGS# 7142 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+





### LOT 276 \$1 1883-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

A very visually impressive GEM 1883-O dollar. Sharply struck for the date and boldly lustrous throughout, the Star City coin has some very cool die cracks and minor rim cuds on the obverse. The eye appeal is excellent.

PCGS 1082, NGC 1091, CAC 213. PCGS has graded 152 in MS66+. RARE any finer. The last blast white brilliant example we sold was from the RanJack Collection, realizing \$793 in our July 2018 Regency Auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,000. Keep in mind how RARE these are any finer, the finest grading MS67+. Bound for another great Morgan dollar set!

PCGS# 7146 | ESTIMATE: \$700+

# LOT 277 \$1 1883-S PCGS MS64+

A stunning, borderline-GEM example of this conditionally very RARE date. It is extremely rare in GEM grade. This REMARKABLE 83-S is the perfect coin for virtually every Morgan dollar collector.

A full, booming, unbroken, brilliant luster beams from all over. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck. Only a few extremely tiny minor ticks are scattered about, none of which detract from the sensational eye appeal.





PCGS 520, NGC 245, CAC 88. There are only 52 graded MS64+, and with only 24 coins graded higher, we strongly believe that there is a good amount of duplicate submissions hoping for a GEM grade. The most recent PCGS/CAC MS64+ sold for \$7,931 in our July 2018 Regency Auction, as part of the RanJack Collection. Prior to that, one sold in April 2018 for \$7,800. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$8,000 and keep in mind that the last MS65 to sell was the Stone Collection coin in May 2018, which realized \$50,000! This borderline GEM represents a great value for the advanced Morgan dollar collector.

PCGS# 7148 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+





LOT 278 \$1 1884 PCGS MS66+ CAC EX MICHIGAN

A magnificent GEM example! A bold, brilliant, cartwheel luster blooms on both sides accenting SUPERB quality surfaces and well struck devices. The eye appeal is quite nice for the grade.

PCGS 728, NGC 264, CAC 228. There are 145 in MS66+. There is a wide range of APRs in MS66+ ranging from \$840 to \$2,280 and most of the recent PCGS/CAC examples have sold in excess of the current PCGS value of \$1,300. If you are looking for a high grade 1884 Morgan for your set, this one, with its clean cheek and bright silver surfaces will fit the bill!

PCGS# 7150 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





### LOT 279 \$1 1884-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is a very high end 84-CC. It has a great look, imparted by a vivacious mint luster, fully struck and frosty devices, and exceptionally clean surfaces. For the assigned grade, this coin is a sensation, and will be a delightful addition to any high end set.

PCGS 2417, NGC 972, CAC 671. PCGS has graded 332 in MS66+. Many of the GEM examples known today come from the Treasury hoard released by the GSA in the early 1970s. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$1,155 in our October 2018 Premier Session and before that, we sold one in September for \$935. The current PCGS Price Guide lists a value of \$1,300. This coin has a great look and presents a great value point for any collector looking for a very high end GEM CC dollar.

PCGS# 7152 | ESTIMATE: \$800+





# \$1 1884-O PCGS MS67 CAC

Here again, the collector carefully selected his example of this date. It really is of premium quality. Boldly lustrous, as are many 84-Os, this one boasts a well above average strike for the date, with nearly complete definition to the hair curls above Liberty's ear and eagle's breast. Liberty's cheek is smooth, frosty, and clean, the surfaces are free of any distractions anywhere. The eye appeal is SUPERB!

PCGS 147, NGC 121, CAC 66. We sold the last two PCGS/CAC pieces in our July Regency Auction, realizing \$2,703 and \$2,468 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,750. There are only eight coins graded finer, with a single MS68 as the finest known. This very high end coin will delight any advanced Morgan dollar collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 7154 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+



### LOT 282 \$1 1885 PCGS MS67 CAC EX WURT I

Superlative quality in every aspect. The luster is vivacious with a blinding brilliance. The surfaces are exceptionally clean, even for a 67, with just the most insignificant traces of contact in the field in front of the portrait. Liberty's cheek is clean and frosty and the devices on both sides are crisply struck. The eye appeal is very high end and superb!

PCGS 172, NGC 204, CAC 95. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold in our Regency Auction 27 (July 2018) for \$1,586. Prior to that, the Stone Collection coin sold for \$2,500 in May 2018. The Current PCGS value is listed at \$2,500. There are 25 coins finer, we sold the last two MS67+s for \$5,288 and \$5,875 in May and July 2018 respectively. This is a great looking coin that was clearly hand selected for placement in this great collection and will look great in your set too!

PCGS# 7158 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





### LOT 281 \$1 1884-S PCGS AU58 CAC

One of the very few coins in this collection that is not Mint State. While the mintage was 3,200,000 nearly every example either went right into commerce where they would stay for a long time or were stored in treasury vaults until 1918 when under the Pittman Act were melted down. Whatever the case, the 84-S is one of the RAREST dates in Unc. Most collectors opt for an AU58, especially a hand selected example like this one. A full luster shows on both sides, the obverse shows just some minor friction in the semi-PL fields.

PCGS 1343, NGC 1838, CAC 171. With so few graded in Mint State, we believe that there is a lot of duplication and resubmissions in the population reports in hopes of getting a high end example into a Mint State holder. The most recent PCGS/CAC AU58 sold for \$2,160 in June 2018 and one sold in April 2018 for \$2,280. Any MS60 will approach a five-figure price, so a select quality AU58 like the present coin offers a great value for the advanced collector. We anticipate a lot of demand for this one!

PCGS# 7156 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+





### LOT 283 \$1 1885-CC PCGS MS66+ CAC

Glorious mint luster beams and blazes from all over on both sides of this resplendent GEM. Bordering on the SUPERB category, this highly lustrous MS66+ is totally untoned and offers great rolling cartwheels. A tiny line and tick or two can be seen on Liberty's cheek, otherwise the eye appeal is close to a higher grade. Only 228,000 were struck, but a large number survived in Mint State, released as part of the GSA hoard in the early 70s.

PCGS 1507, NGC 733, CAC 311. PCGS has graded 203 in MS66+. RARE any finer. The last three examples sold in the \$2,220 to \$2,640 range and the current PCGS price is \$2,950. A marginally finer MS67 will cost \$8,000 or more (more if CAC beaned). This amazing looking coin will be a very welcome addition for any high end set, and will delight any picky collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 7160 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





# \$1 1885-O PCGS MS67 CAC EX GOLD RIVER

Anyone who has collected Morgan dollars knows that 85-O dollars are often pancake flat, this is a wonderful exception, with crisply defined details in the central devices of both sides. A warm, satiny glow welcomes the viewer with a strong lustrous vibrance. The surfaces are clean and free of any distractions, this is another SUPERB coin from this collection that has a fresh from the mint look.

PCGS 347, NGC 558, CAC 190. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,350. This one is cleaner than the one we sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction for \$1,234; the PFM coin sold for \$1,704 in our May 2018 Regency Auction. This one is worthy of a similarly strong bid.

PCGS# 7162 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 285 \$1 1885-S PCGS MS65+ CAC

A very high end looking GEM with a bold visual allure!

Blazing, bold, swirling cartwheel luster rolls unimpeded on both sides, bringing out the impressive definition to the razor sharp strike. The obverse fields have a touch of reflection to them. Ms. Liberty is frosty and her cheek is especially clean. The palest of clear gold iridescent toning can be seen on both sides adding to the great look.

PCGS 639, NGC 424, CAC 52. PCGS has graded 35 in MS65+ and the most recent to sell was in our 29th Regency Auction (November 2018) for \$3,643. RARE finer this GEM+++ 85-S has a great look and will entice strong bidding from Morgan dollar collectors. We can see this one bringing an equally strong price.

PCGS# 7164 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





### LOT 286 \$1 1886 PCGS MS67 CAC

This is a SUPERB GEM with a strong eye appeal. Bold, radiant luster beams with an extreme brilliance on both sides. Sharply struck up, the devices are crisp and show full definition. The slightest touch of delicate gold can be seen at the peripheries, adding to the seductive look of this uber-GEM!

PCGS 468, NGC 909, CAC 356. While the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,000 and the most recent example to sell realized \$1,020 in November 2018, it would not come as a surprise if it brought close to the MS67+ value of \$2,500--it is THAT high end! Bound for a very special collection of Morgan dollars!

PCGS# 7166 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

### **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on HAMMER. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

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### LOT 287 \$1 1886-O PCGS MS 64 CAC

The 1886-O is one of the famous condition rarities in the Morgan series. It is thought that perhaps 2-3 million of the 10.7 million minted were put into contemporary circulation, while the remainder of the mintage was stored in vaults, where they sat until the Pittman Act called for the melting of silver dollars in storage. Unlike other large mintage dates, no quantity of mint bags were ever released in the early 1960s.

The quality of 86-O dollars at the time of minting also left something to be desired. According to Dave Bowers, the dies were set too far apart, meaning that the dies could not apply enough pressure to impart full definition to the devices. The present example is a wonderful exception to that rule, with good definition to Liberty's hair curls and the eagle's breast feathers. A warm, glowing satin frosty luster can be seen on both sides, providing a lovely accent to the clean surfaces and bold reliefs. This is a very attractive and original near-GEM worthy of any high end set. This is not an easy coin to find with any kind of eye appeal, even in this lofty grade.

PCGS 239, NGC 82, CAC 45. The most recent PCGS/CAC to sell in auction realized \$10,800 in the 2018 ANA auction; prior to that there was one that brought \$10,200 in July 2018, and one that sold for \$15,000 in May 2018. VERY RARE any finer, the PCGS MS64+ CAC RanJack coin we sold in July 2018 for \$29,375. Only 27 coins grade higher than MS64, NONE finer than MS65+. Any MS65 will cost \$150,000 or more!





### LOT 288 \$1 1886-S PCGS MS65+ CAC EX MICHIGAN

Sharply struck and offering fully brilliant, lustrous, white silver surfaces, this scarce Morgan dollar has a lot to offer! Frosty devices stand out against the cartwheel lustrous fields. Liberty's cheek is very clean and missing any serious marks or cuts that often plague that area of the design. The eye appeal is very pleasing, and this coin will fit in any GEM set of Morgans.

PCGS 403, NGC 119, CAC 56. There are only 20 examples graded MS65+ at PCGS, and this date becomes very rare any finer. The most recent CAC approved example sold in the 2018 ANA auction for \$3,995 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500. Sure to delight any Morgan dollar collector, a PCGS/CAC MS66 will cost between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

PCGS# 7168 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+





LOT 289 \$1 1887 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Flashy, vibrant luster blooms on both sides, giving this borderline SUPERB GEM a great look. Sharply struck and generally clean, this coin is very nice for the grade.

PCGS 2097, NGC 3966, CAC 505. There are 163 graded in 66+ and the last PCGS/CAC example realized \$384 in August 2018 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$375. This one is very high end and should bring more. Keep in mind that a 67 with CAC approval will cost between \$1,500 and \$2,000. Looks like this grade presents a great value for the budget minded collector.

PCGS# 7172 | ESTIMATE: \$350+

PCGS# 7170 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





LOT 290 \$1 1887/6 PCGS MS65+ CAC EX MICHIGAN

This is truly a high end, GEM example of this overdate Morgan dollar. Brilliantly lustrous fields with a touch of flashy semi-PL reflection. The surfaces on both sides are clean and vibrant with a bold visual allure. The devices are sharply struck and are frosted, creating a neat contrast with the surrounding fields.

PCGS 178, NGC 89, CAC 44. There are 16 graded MS65+ and the most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction realized \$2,585 in the 2016 ANA auction. RARE any finer, we sold a PCGS/CAC MS66 in our May 2018 sale of the PFM Collection for \$8,225 and one sold in the 2018 FUN auction for \$11,400. This handsome example will bring a strong price, the current PCGS value is \$2,850. Worthy of another great set, good luck!

PCGS# 7174 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





LOT 291 \$1 1887-O PCGS MS 64+ CAC

Frosty and brilliant, the bright and lustrous silver surfaces are gleaming and clean for the grade. We would not be shocked if this coin came in with a 65 holder. This really is a HIGH END example for the grade.

PCGS 3070, NGC 1923, CAC 243. PCGS has graded 174 in MS64+ and this date becomes quite scarce in GEM grades. The current PCGS value is listed at \$495, and last one to sell realized \$408. Keep in mind that the CU value is listed at \$1,800 in MS65, making this a great coin for a more budget conscious collector.

PCGS# 7176 | ESTIMATE: \$400+





LOT 292 \$1 1887/6-O PCGS MS 63+ CAC

A popular overdate variety, that was not discovered until 1972, traces of the underlying 6 can be seen to the right of the base of the 7.

The presently offered example ranks on the right slope of the grading curve, most known are graded 62 or 63, and they become much scarcer in MS64, and is UNIQUE at the 65 level at PCGS. The devices are nice and frosty with only a few minor scuffs noted. The luster is bold.

PCGS 352, NGC 148, CAC 31. There are only 11 graded in 63+ at PCGS. Only a single (non-CAC) MS63+ has ever sold in auction, realizing \$1,998 in February 2014. The current Collector's Universe price is \$2,400 and keep in mind a PCGS MS64 CAC will cost in the \$3,500-\$4,000 range. A very neat coin for the Morgan dollar specialist. Good luck!

PCGS# 7178 | ESTIMATE: \$2,300+





### LOT 293 \$1 1887-S PCGS MS 65+ CAC EX ARIZONA

Flashy, semi-PL reflective field have boldly swirling cartwheel luster. Sharply struck devices are frosted and stand out with a nice and clean cheek. There is a dusting of pale gold at the periphery, but this GEM will fit into any untoned GEM set.

PCGS 474, NGC 148, CAC 43. There are 25 graded MS65+ and this date is VERY RARE finer. The two most recent MS65+s graded by PCGS with CAC approval realized \$1,800 in March 2018 and \$3,600 in March 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,200 and Keep in mind that the value in MS66 is \$6,000. This is a high end GEM that will delight the Morgan specialist.

PCGS# 7180 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





### LOT 294 \$1 1888 PCGS MS66 CAC

A borderline SUPERB 1888 dollar with a wonderful frosty luster that graces the satiny surfaces throughout. Sharply struck both sides are framed by a coppery-orange hue. Original and very pleasing.

PCGS 864, NGC 897, CAC 288. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$475 and the last one to sell in auction realized \$408. The value jumps to \$1,200 in 66+.

PCGS# 7182 | ESTIMATE: \$400+





### LOT 295 \$1 1888-O PCGS MS65+ CAC

A real GEM, we think this coin is on par with some MS66s we have seen out in the marketplace. Sharply struck devices stand out with a bold visual effect on both sides. The cheek is ultra clean for the grade, and the luster is extremely vibrant. A touch of light gold at the rims can be seen. The eye appeal is bold and the visual effect is very high end indeed.

PCGS 2519, NGC 1377, CAC 187. PCGS has graded 119 in MS65+. The current PCGS value is \$575 and the last PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction realized \$690 in July 2017. Scarce in MS66 and there are NONE finer than MS66+ at PCGS.

PCGS# 7184 | ESTIMATE: \$500+





### LOT 296

### \$1 1888-O DOUBLED DIE, HOT LIPS. PCGS AU58 CAC

VAM-4. The Hot Lips variety is one of the most sought after varieties in the Morgan dollar series, even garnering placement in the Guide Book of United States Coins. As the moniker implies, the boldest evidence of the doubled die is at Liberty's lips, as well as at the nose and chin. These are VERY RARE in Mint State, and PCGS has not graded any example higher than MS62!

Satiny lustrous surfaces have moderate friction on both sides. The devices are bluntly struck with typical O-mint softness above Liberty's ear and on the eagle's breast. The eye appeal is decent, about on par with the PFM coin we sold in May 2018.

PCGS 61, NGC 21, CAC 17. Only nine coins are graded finer at PCGS, the finest being graded MS62. The PFM coin sold for \$3,525 in our May 2018 Regency Auction. This nearly condition census piece retains a wonderful look and is worthy of a strong bid!

PCGS# 7308 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+





### LOT 297 \$1 1888-S PCGS MS64 CAC

By this point, you can tell that the Star City Collector had a very specific look in mind with each and every coin he added to his set. Despite being "only" MS64, this coin really is of essentially FULL GEM quality and high end. The surfaces are clean with bold satiny luster and fully frosted, well struck devices. Both obverse and reverse are exceptionally clean and free from any serious traces of contact anywhere. The eye appeal certainly is higher than what you would expect of a 64 coin.

PCGS 1665, NGC 907, CAC 190. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$800 and the most recent PCGS/CAC coin to sell in auction brought \$780 in April 2018. Prior to that, there are recent records of \$900 and \$840. Gems are scarce and anything finer than MS65+ is VERY RARE.

PCGS# 7186 | ESTIMATE: \$700+





### LOT 298 \$1 1889 PCGS MS65+ CAC

A lovely high end, lustrous GEM with an ultra clean, smooth cheek, sharply struck devices and generally contact free surfaces, which all come together to present a coin with bold eye appeal.

PCGS 2525, NGC 2241, CAC 228. PCGS has graded 102 in MS65+. VERY SCARCE any finer. The current PCGS value is \$350 and we know this coin will bring that or more, it is that nice!

PCGS#7188 | ESTIMATE: \$300+

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### LOT 299 \$1 1889-CC PCGS MS62 CAC

WOW! This coin is a near miss Prooflike example of this important KEY DATE Morgan, the rarest of the Carson City Morgan dollars. Only 350,000 were struck, making it one of the lower mintages in the entire series.

The swirling cartwheel luster has an intense, blazing brilliance for the assigned grade. The fields have a distinctive glassy, semi-Prooflike flash in the fields. The sharply struck devices are fully frosted and have a neat contrast against the fields. The cheek is exceptionally clean for the grade and both sides are truly devoid of any serious marks or ticks, just some microscopic contact. Blast white with full silver brilliance, this CHOICE coin will be a centerpiece to the next great Morgan dollar set it graces.

PCGS 118, NGC 98, CAC 19. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$39,950 in our September 2018 Regency Auction. Prior to that, one sold for \$36,425 in March 2017. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$45,000 and we anticipate this high end looking 1889-CC dollar will see very strong bidding. This is a date that was not well represented in the GSA hoard, and is in consistently strong demand from collectors from low grade and problem coins to high quality Mint State coins as here. Bound for a wonderful Morgan dollar set!

PCGS# 7190 | ESTIMATE: \$35,000+





### LOT 300 \$1 1889-O PCGS MS64+ CAC

A very attractive, HIGH END MS64+ that has the initial look of a MS65. The devices are sharply struck and fully frosted, while both sides show off a bold, swirling luster. The eye appeal is truly of GEM quality, and if sold "raw" it would likely be classified as such.

PCGS 2028, NGC 1009, CAC 226. The most recent examples sold in the \$810 to \$960 range and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,200. Rare finer and this coin will delight any collector of Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7192 | ESTIMATE: \$800+





### LOT 302 \$1 1890 PCGS MS65 CAC EX ARIZONA

This is a satiny lustrous, blast white silver GEM. Smooth surfaces are exactly what you would expect for a high end MS65, clean and free of any distracting marks or lines visible with the naked eye. Indeed you need a strong glass to see anything. Nicely struck for the date, there is only the slightest hint of weakness in the hair curls above Liberty's ear and the highest parts of the eagle's breast. The eye appeal is very high end, and this date is VERY RARE any finer. It is remarkable that NONE are graded finer than MS66 at either service.

PCGS 735, NGC 301, CAC 56. We cannot find a PCGS/CAC coin sold since April 2016, when three examples sold in the Central States auction; realizing \$1,399, \$1,410, \$1,880. Prior to that, one sold in the 2015 ANA auction for \$2,820. Clearly the current Collector's Universe value of \$950 is all out of whack for CAC approved coins! Keep in mind a marginally finer MS65+ will cost in the \$4,000-\$5,000 range, as evidenced by our July and September 2018 Regency Auction results. Clearly hand selected, highly eye appealing GEMs are worthy of very strong bids, this one is going to certainly follow that trend!

PCGS# 7196 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+



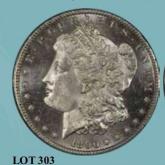


### LOT 301 \$1 1889-S PCGS MS65 CAC

This is no doubt a very, very high end MS65! We are not really sure why PCGS did not give it at least a 65+ grade, and really we wouldn't flinch if it was in a 66 holder (we do not guarantee it will ever grade higher). The luster is intense with a vivid swirling cartwheel bloom that radiates extreme brilliance. Sharply struck devices are frosty and are devoid of any post minting marks worthy of mention. The eye appeal is stunning for the date and grade.

PCGS 742, NGC 239, CAC 80. RARE any finer, a high end MS65 presents a great value for any collector. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,450. The most recent PCGS MS65 CAC sold in our July 2018 Premier Session, realizing \$1,760 and the Stone Collection coin, sold in May 2018 realized \$1,875. Due to its great look, this coin is worthy of a premium bid; two MS65+CACs have sold for \$2,280 and \$2,291 in the last 16 months. Worthy of a great set!

PCGS# 7194 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





# \$1 1890-CC PCGS MS64+ PL CAC

Flashy, reflective mirrored, prooflike fields beam from all over. The surfaces are smooth and free of anything but a couple of minor contact marks. Sharply struck up, this 90-CC has a bold, blast white look. The devices are frosty and stand out with a wonderful contrast to the fields. The visual allure is very PQ for the assigned grade.

PCGS 124, NGC 62, CAC 19. There are only 11 graded in MS64+ PL. The only PCGS MS64+ PL CAC to ever sell via auction realized \$1,725 back in the 2012 FUN auction and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,150. RARE any finer, the last MS65 PL was NOT CAC approved and sold for \$4,818 in our May 2018 sale of the PFM Collection. This near-GEM offers a lot of coin for the collector!

PCGS# 7199 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





### LOT 304

### \$1 1890-CC TAIL BAR, VAM-4. PCGS MS63+ CAC

A very popular TOP 100 VAM variety, the Tail Bar is listed in the Red Book as a distinct variety, and is often included in collections that do not specialize in varieties. The name is derived from the die gauge that connects the eagle's tail to the wreath below. This highly lustrous CHOICE Mint State example has a bold, crisp, complete strike. There are a few minor traces of contact on the cheek, but none are distracting to the eye nor are any of them inappropriate for the assigned grade. The eye appeal is great for a 63+; the reverse is near GEM quality for sure.

PCGS 201, NGC 73, CAC 21. The last regular MS63 PCGS/CAC sold for \$3,120 in September 2018, while a 63+ in that same auction sold for \$2,400. The present example looks more like the one that sold for \$3,120 than the one that sold for \$2,400. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,150. This is a very rare date any finer, this fully CHOICE example has a great look and will delight any advanced collector!

PCGS# 7198 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+





### LOT 305 \$1 1890-O PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a stellar quality MS65 GEM. Brilliant satin luster blooms all over the clean surfaces. Only a couple of minor traces of contact can be seen, which account for the assigned grade. Offering a pleasing strike for the date, this 90-O is high end for the grade and this date is VERY RARE any finer.

PCGS 781, NGC 203, CAC 68. The last PCGS MS65 CAC sold in our Regency Auction XXIV (December 2017) for \$1,939; prior to that, we sold one in our July 2017 Regency Auction XXII for \$2,174. Clearly CAC-approved GEMS are worth a significant premium over the current PCGS value of \$1,250. Keep in mind the last PCGS/CAC MS66 to sell was from the RanJack Collection that sold for \$12,338 in our July 2018 Regency Auction. This one is going to grace another very high end Registry Set of Morgan dollars, and will see very spirited bidding. Good luck!

PCGS# 7200 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+

### **LOT 306**

### \$1 1890-S PCGS MS66 CAC

WOW! One look at this PQ coin and you can tell how hard the collector worked to pick special coins within the grade for each issue. This 90-S dollar has a superb, bold, swirling luster that radiates with extremely brilliant cartwheels. The cheek and surfaces are very clean, free of any distractions. Indeed, the cheek is frosty white and totally smooth; a true delight to behold. All the details are crisply struck up, boldly embossed from an exacting blow from the dies. This coin is beautifully preserved and totally free of any contact or toning of significance and will fit nicely in any HIGH END set of blast white GEMS.





PCGS 218, NGC 54, CAC 90. The last one sold for a weak \$1,907 in an internet only auction in September 2018. Prior to that, one sold in April 2018 for \$2,640 and one sold for \$3,760 in May 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,100 and we believe strongly that with this coin's amazing look for a 66, bidding will easily surpass that level. EXTREMELY RARE in MS67 with just 8 coins graded at PCGS, a very high end MS66 with CAC approval will delight the vast majority of collectors. This PQ GEM is bound for any high end set!

PCGS# 7202 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

### LOT 307 \$1 1891 PCGS MS64 CAC

For a date with a mintage of nearly 8.7 million, the 1891 is remarkably RARE in GEM and EXCESSIVELY so any finer.

Bright, brilliant, rolling cartwheel luster blooms with an intense vivacity on both sides. This coin is really of GEM quality, the only thing we can think of that keeps this beauty from a MS65 grade is a mint made planchet flake in front of Liberty's nose. Sharply struck for the date with crisply defined devices on both sides. Liberty's cheek is very clean and we really think this coin should have graded at least a 64+, if not a 65 (no guarantees). What we can

guarantee is that if you are looking for a really high end example of this date here is your coin!



PCGS 2246, NGC 1203, CAC 276. This date is VERY RARE any finer. Clearly, a PQ near-GEM like this will see bidding close to MS64+ levels in our opinion, with recent examples selling between \$552 and \$1,140.Worthy of a GEM set.

PCGS# 7204 | ESTIMATE: \$500+





### LOT 308 \$1 1891-CC PCGS MS65+ CAC

What a great quality GEM! While not noted on the PCGS insert, this is the VAM-3 Spitting Eagle variety. The surfaces are ultra clean and offer a superb satiny luster on both sides. Ms. Liberty and all the details are sharply struck and have a thick frost, especially on her cheek. Virtually untoned, save for the slightest touch of iridescent clear gold and silver-white. The eye appeal, like that of every coin in this collection is clearly very high end for the assigned grade and hand selected for that quality.

PCGS 800, NGC 129, CAC 75. There are 48 graded MS65+ at PCGS and the most recent CAC approved example sold in our September 2018 Regency Auction for \$7,344 and prior to that one, there was one sold in July 2018 for \$6,900. The current PCGS value is listed at \$7,500. The last PCGS/CAC MS66 sold for nearly \$20,000 in December 2016, so keep in mind that this is the highest grade that most collectors can buy. We expect extremely active and strong bidding for this HIGH END GEM!

### LOT 309 \$1 1891-O PCGS MS64+ CAC

This is another important, conditionally RARE date; very few coins are graded in MS65 grades, making this borderline GEM MS64+ a great choice for any collector.

Brilliant mint luster gleams all over on both sides, accenting the gentle touches of delicate gold. Again the collector was very selective when this coin was chosen for placement. The strike is very bold and full for the date and the surfaces are exceptionally clean for the grade. A few tiny ticks are noted on both sides, none of which distract from the excellent eye appeal of this example.

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PCGS 1843, NGC 1099, CAC 142. PCGS has 147 graded in MS64+. The most recent example realized \$1,680 in the 2018 ANA auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,500. VERY RARE any finer, nothing is graded finer than MS65+ at PCGS, making this a great coin for anyone needing a high end example without spending \$7,000+ on a GEM graded coin.

PCGS# 7208 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





# \$1 1891-S PCGS MS66 CAC EX LARRY SHAPIRO

Blazing, glowing, silver mint luster radiates from the brilliant, untoned surfaces. The devices are razor sharp in definition and are highly frosted. Even Liberty's cheek is smooth and pleasing, free of virtually any flaws. Sharply struck and the definition is very crisp throughout giving this PQ gem a bold frosty look on the devices. This GEM has a spectacular, brilliant silver and totally untoned look, really looking as fresh today as it did when it came off the dies.

PCGS 98, NGC 21, CAC 38. The most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction realized \$3,840 in July 2018. Prior to that, we sold one in our May 2018 Regency Auction of the PFM Collection for \$4,465. Today's PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,750. There are just 27 coins graded finer at PCGS. This example is very high end and worthy of a very high end set. If you are building a great Morgan dollar set or are looking to upgrade your 91-S, be sure to bid on this one.





LOT 311 \$1 1892 PCGS MS64+ CAC

This is a very nice example of a date that rarely comes nice. Satiny, pearlescent lustrous surfaces display a warm glow in the fields. Displaying the typical softness above the ear and on the eagle's breast feathers, but the strike is certainly superior to many other examples of this date. A delicate touch of gold the eye appeal is very high end for an example of this date.

PCGS 1744, NGC 855, CAC 189. There are 96 MS64+ graded at PCGS. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,650. In November 2018, a regular MS64 PCGS/CAC sold for \$1,208. PCGS/CAC MS64+ examples have sold in the \$1,020 to \$1,704 range. RARE finer, the value jumps to \$3,000 in MS65. As a high end MS64+ this coin will fit nicely into any carefully selected set of very CHOICE coins!

PCGS# 7212 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

PCGS# 7210 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+

### LOT 312 \$1 1892-CC PCGS MS65 CAC

This is a stunning GEM MS65! The mint luster is of a blistering brilliance that is blindingly bright and very high end. The devices are sharply struck up and have a lovely frost on Liberty's cheek. Struck from cracked and clashed dies. There are a few tiny ticks here and there, nothing that is inappropriate for the assigned GEM grade. This coin is truly a delight to behold!

PCGS 416, NGC 170, CAC 66. The most recent PCGS/CAC sold for \$6,000 in the 2018





ANA auction, and another brought \$6,600 in another session of the ANA sale. Prior to those two, one sold in the 2018 FUN auction for \$7,800 and one for \$6,900 in an internet auction later that month. Clearly the current Collector's Universe value of \$6,000 is too low for CAC-approved examples. Very rare any finer. Worthy of inclusion in any GEM Morgan set, and we can see this beauty selling for a very strong bid!

PCGS# 7214 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+

### LOT 313 \$1 1892-O PCGS MS64+ CAC

At first glance we thought this coin was a full GEM, we still think PCGS may have been a little tough on this one! Brilliantly lustrous, beaming surfaces are bright and have a strong frost. Nicely struck for the date, the details have a wonderful crispness, which is unusual for a 92-O. A few minor ticks can be seen, but the overall look of this amazing near-GEM is very high end.

PCGS 2509, NGC 1490, CAC 270. There are 186 graded MS64+ at PCGS. VERY RARE any finer. The most recent example sold for \$1,150 in November 2018, and prior to that one sold in September

2018 realized \$900. The current PCGS value is \$1,350. This coin is worthy of inclusion in a GEM set.











### LOT 314 \$1 1892-S PCGS AU58 CAC EX SHRIKE

Boasting an impressive provenance, the eye appeal of this slider AU58 is likewise very impressive and desirable!

Showing off a full luster and just the slightest hint of friction on the highest points, the surfaces show just a touch of the clearest pearl/gold tone on both sides and a wealth of details. The surfaces are generally clean and free of any distractions. The eye appeal is very high end for the grade. While today's collectors strive for

Registry points, this very attractive "GEM" AU has a look that is better than many lower grade Mint State coins we have seen in the market.

While the mintage was 1.2 million, this date was not saved extensively at the time of issue, and most known examples are circulated.

Demand for HIGH END AU 92-S dollars out paces the supply, especially for CAC-approved examples.

PCGS 137, NGC 140, CAC 10. We believe this coin has been off the market since the 2011 FUN auction, where the Shrike Set was auctioned. Since then there are auction records in the \$14,000 to \$20,563 range and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$13,500 and that really does not take CAC approval into account. This is one of the nicer AU58s we have seen and is worthy of a strong bid from the collector that does not want to spend close to \$50,000 for a marginal, low grade Mint State coin. Good luck!

### LOT 315 \$1 1893 PCGS MS64+ CAC

Brilliant and vivacious luster blossoms strongly on both sides. Essentially GEM quality surfaces show just a scattering of the most minute signs of contact. The devices are very strong with bold definition throughout. The eye appeal is wonderful.

A financial panic gripped the nation and demand for circulating coinage dropped dramatically. Only 389,000 Morgan dollars were struck in Philadelphia. This low mintage trend continued for three years until the economy began to recover.





PCGS 1404, NGC 670, CAC 136. There are 80 coins graded MS64+ at PCGS. RARE any finer. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,850 and this coin realized \$2,500 in 2013. More recently there are records in the \$2,280 to \$2,938 range. This coin is very attractive and will sell for a strong bid.

PCGS# 7220 | ESTIMATE: \$2,300+





### LOT 316 \$1 1893-CC PCGS MS 64 CAC

Before our sister company found the very elusive PCGS CAC MS65 93-CC, this heck of a HIGH END coin was in the Coronet Collection. It is our strong opinion (no promises), this coin should have been an MS64+.

Overall the surfaces are clean and silky smooth. There is a tiny area on the left obverse with a very very tiny contact mark. We grade the remarkably clean reverse a full MS65. A killer bold luster beams from all over. There is a gorgeous and totally original russet/gold ring on the rims only. The centers are a gorgeous original white. Miss Liberty and every detail is frosted and fully struck. The eye appeal is not that of a typical 1893-CC, it is phenomenal!

PCGS 577, NGC 199, CAC 68. The last PCGS piece to sell in auction-NO CAC brought \$22,000. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell in auction brought a hefty \$15,600 in September 2018. The current Collectors Universe value is \$20,000. This coin is worth that easily-this is not your typical 1893-CC!

PCGS# 7222 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+

### LOT 317 \$1 1893-O PCGS MS64 CAC EX CORONET

This was the Coronet duplicate, sold after the Prooflike Eliasberg coin was added to that world class set. We will say this from the outset, this coin is no slouch either!

Bold, swirling cartwheel luster has a strong vibrance on both sides. This coin has a GEM eye appeal imparted by a bold for the date strike and generally clean, problem free surfaces. Only the slightest touches of contact can be seen under the aid of a strong glass. Traces of semi-reflective luster does flash in the fields when the coin is rotated in the light. Another low mintage issue, with just 300,000 struck. RARE in MS64 and extremely so any finer.

PCGS 93, NGC 32, CAC 20. Only a dozen coins are graded numerically finer, with the Monster \$400,000+ MS66 PL Eliasberg-Coronet coin as the FINEST KNOWN. In MS64, as here, the last PCGS MS64 CAC to sell in auction was the RanJack coin that we sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction for \$35,250. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$20,000 and this one will likely sell for well in excess of that price level. A real prize for any advanced collection.

PCGS# 7224 | ESTIMATE: \$20,000+







### LOT 318 \$1 1893-S PCGS AU55 CAC

This is a very CHOICE AU example of this KEY DATE Morgan dollar. This coin is truly a special coin, worthy of inclusion in ANY Morgan dollar collection!

Satiny luster clings wonderfully to the lightly worn surfaces.

The wear is limited to traces of the most insignificant friction on the highest points. A pale gold and gentle silver iridescent look graces both sides. There is some softness of strike in the curls above Liberty's ear, as normal for the date. The eye appeal is well above average, with no signs of any post mintage problems that often plague even straight graded coins.

As the financial crisis of 1893 ravaged the economy, the output of Morgan dollars dropped. The 1893-S had a series low mintage of 100,000, and is a KEY date in any grade. In high end AU grades, the date is RARE, and is extremely so in Mint State.

PCGS 42, NGC 23, CAC 9. The last one to sell was in October 2018 and realized \$38,400. The present example is nicer than that coin, and should bring a price closer to the current Collector's Universe value of \$42,500. Keep in mind that an AU58 will cost double that! This is a coin of the utmost importance for the collector looking to add a very high end coin.

PCGS# 7226 | ESTIMATE: \$34,000+

### LOT 319 \$1 1894 PCGS MS63+ CAC

Although the mintage is just 10,000 more than the 1893-S, more 1894 silver dollars were saved at the time of issue in Mint State that this date is scarce in all grades, but is not a major condition rarity.

Brilliant, shimmering, satin like mint luster blooms with a bright vibrance on both sides. Minor weakness a the hair curls above the ear are sharper than normally seen. The surfaces are generally clean, devoid of any serious marks, and just a few light traces of contact that do not detract from the excellent eye appeal.





PCGS 399, NGC 225, CAC 43. There are only 12 graded MS63+ at PCGS. Only one non-CAC example ever sold in auction, realizing \$4,560 in September 2017. A non-+ PCGS MS63 CAC sold in April 2018 for the same amount and in the 2018 ANA auction an NGC coin sold for \$5,040. The current MS63+ Collector's Universe value is listed at \$5,750. The RanJack MS64 CAC sold for \$7,050 in our July 2018 Regency Auction. A grand opportunity not to be missed by the specialist collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 7228 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





### LOT 320 \$1 1894-O PCGS MS64 CAC

This is a boldly lustrous and exceptionally high end quality example of this semi-key date. In close to GEM grades as here, this is indeed quite a rare date. The lustrous surfaces are an intense, beaming, glowing cartwheel bloom with a pleasing shimmering vibrance. The details are well struck and have a definition that shows most of the design elements to their fullest execution. A couple of minor traces of contact are seen, none of which are seen in the prime focal areas and the cheek is

exceptionally clean for the grade. This is a high end coin that has a strong eye appeal, with an initial look of a full GEM coin.

PCGS 365, NGC 231, CAC 66. The most recent PCGS/CAC coin sold in the ANA auction for \$9,000 and prior to that, the Stone Collection coin sold for \$11,875 in May 2018; the last PCGS/CAC coin that we sold was in October 2015 for \$9,988. This nearly GEM quality coin is going to see very serious and fierce bidding competition among Morgan specialists.

PCGS# 7230 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

### LOT 321 \$1 1894-S PCGS MS64 CAC

A bold, frosty, brilliant, and vibrant luster blazes on both sides if this original, near-GEM example. A light dusting of the clearest pastel gold iridescent toning. Well struck throughout, the eye appeal of this coin is very high end and is beautiful!

PGGS 949, NGC 398, CAC 111. The last PCGS/CAC coin to sell in auction realized \$2,310 in our September 2018 Premier Session and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,750. Scarce any finer, this near-GEM will delight any collector of high end Morgans and vault this one to a very strong final bid.





PCGS# 7232 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





### LOT 322 \$1 1895-O PCGS AU58 CAC

A nearly Mint State example of this important KEY Morgan dollar issue. The wear is barely perceptible on either side. The surfaces are highly lustrous with sharply struck devices. The friction on the highest points barely touches the fields. The eye appeal is very high end. Continuing weakness in the economy and lack of demand for circulating dollars, the New Orleans mint struck only 450,000 silver dollars in 1895. Like the 1893-S, there were no treasury bags of 95-O dollars found in the

1950s and 1960s, and this date is VERY RARE in Mint State.

PCGS 506, NGC 661, CAC 51. The most recent PCGS/CAC coins that have sold in auction in the \$4,818 to \$7,638. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$4,500 and keep in mind that any Mint State coin is a five figure coin. This HIGH END example was hand selected by our consignor for its great technical and aesthetic quality.

PCGS# 7236 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+

### LOT 323 \$1 1895-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

If this was a more common date, we have no doubt it would be in a GEM grade holder (we don't guarantee it will upgrade, but it does have a magnificent GEM eye appeal).

Both sides of this impressive 95-S have a distinctive, semi-PL flash that contrasts with the fully frosted, sharply struck devices, giving this coin a nearly cameo-like appearance, especially on the obverse. Blast white, except for the bottom reverse rim, the eye appeal of this borderline





GEM is exceptional and a true delight to behold. Only 400,000 were struck, this date is a little more available in mint state, but in MS64+ and finer, the 95-S is a major rarity in the series.

PCGS 472, NGC 221, CAC 71. PCGS has graded 48 in MS64+ and including duplication, fewer than fifty are graded finer. The last PCGS MS64+ CAC to sell in auction realized \$14,100 in June 2017, and most PCGS/CAC coins fall in a range of \$9,400 to \$12,925 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$10,500. This beautiful example will delight any advanced Morgan dollar collector and will see fierce bidding competition! Bound for another great set.

PCGS# 7238 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+

### \$1 1896 PCGS MS66+ CAC EX LARRY SHAPIRO

Sharply struck and boldly lustrous with swirling cartwheels blazing on both sides. Hand selected for its high end quality.

PCGS 2210, NGC 893, CAC 492. There are 416 graded MS66+ at PCGS. The Current PCGS value is listed at \$525. Scarce finer, this date is rarely seen above MS67.

PCGS# 7240 | ESTIMATE: \$400+







### LOT 325 \$1 1896-O PCGS MS63 CAC

Despite a mintage of 4,900,000, there were no bags of Mint State coins in the treasury releases in the 1950s and 1960s. If there were any bags left in vaults, they were all destroyed under the orders of the 1918 Pittman Act which called for the melting of millions of silver dollars in government storage.

For the date and grade this 96-O is VERY HIGH END. While "only" a 63, the 96-O is a major condition rarity, one of the RAREST of all Morgan dollars in

grades close to GEM, which puts amazingly CHOICE examples like this one in VERY strong demand. Ultra satiny mint frost glows with strong rolling cartwheels. Well struck and very pleasing, you can easily tell this coin was hand selected for its awesome aesthetic appeal and impressive technical quality.

PCGS 300, NGC 136, CAC 19. Looking at these population figures, two things are evident: 1-there is clearly duplication trying to get a higher grade 2- those that are graded 63 are NOT high quality in general. The last PCGS/CAC coin sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction of RanJack Collection, which realized \$8,225 and prior to that one sold in the 2017 ANA auction for \$9,988 and before that one sold in October 2015 for \$11,750. Keep in mind the value more than triples next grade up! Good luck!

PCGS# 7242 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

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### LOT 326 \$1 1896-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

Another GEM from this impressive collection. Well matched to the other MS64+s that are part of this set, we note the quality is much closer to that of MS65 than MS64; were it a common San Francisco mint issue, we have no doubt it would be in an MS65 holder.

Both sides have a rich, rolling cartwheel bloom that surrounds essentially GEM quality surfaces. The collector certainly took his time selecting the "perfect" example for the set, with a bold,

brilliant, blast white silver luster and crisply struck up devices. The eye appeal is superb.

PCGS 545, NGC 204, CAC 73. PCGS has graded 50 in MS64+ and there are only 84 graded higher. The most recent PCGS MS64+ CAC to sell in auction realized \$5,750 in November 2018; prior to that, one sold for \$5,520 in November 2017. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$7,000 and a PCGS MS65 CAC sold for \$14,100 in our September 2018 Regency Auction. This beautiful essentially full GEM quality 96-S dollar will see very strong bidding and is worthy of another GREAT set of Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7244 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+





LOT 327 \$1 1897 PCGS MS66+ CAC

A SUPERB example of this date! Satiny brilliant silver luster blazes on the delectable, untoned surfaces. Sharply struck and clean with just some of the most trivial hints of contact. The aesthetic and technical qualities are very high end for the assigned grade and the eye appeal is truly great.

PCGS 580, NGC 158, CAC 144. We sold one in our June 2018 Premier Session for \$1,870 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,650; there is a wide range of APRs, from \$1,020 to \$2,233. Keep in mind a 67 with CAC approval will cost around \$8,000. The MS66+ grade, with a high end example as here, is a great value point for the collector. Good luck!

PCGS# 7246 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 328 \$1 1897-O PCGS MS63 CAC

Like the 96-O, the 97-O is an important condition rarity any finer, so most collectors opt for a high end MS63. CAC-approved examples are VERY RARE and command very strong attention from collectors.

A bold luster stands out on frosty silver surfaces. A pale golden overtone is gently dusted on the obverse, giving this high end CHOICE example a nice and original look. Clean and very pleasing for the grade, we do like this coin a lot.

PCGS 302, NGC 209, CAC 27. Again, like the 96-O we can conclude there is much duplication in this grade level hoping to get a higher grade (and five figure price point), and those that are MS63, very few stand up to the tough CAC standards. The most recent PCGS/CAC example sold in auction for \$6,000 in the 2018 ANA auction, and prior to that, we sold one for \$4,950 in November 2017. That was the FIRST one sold since February 2013 where one brought \$5,875. This beautiful example is worthy of a fine collection of Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7248 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





### LOT 329 \$1 1897-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

A high end and lustrous SUPERB GEM. Sharply struck and brilliant, the surfaces are clean and free of any serious marks, the eye appeal is very high end indeed.

PCGS 393, NGC 122, CAC 87. We sold the extensively pedigreed RanJack coin in our July 2018 Regency Auction (lot 54) for \$2,468. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,400 and this one should bring a similar price.

PCGS# 7250 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





### LOT 330 \$1 1898 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Satiny lustrous surfaces gleam with just the slightest touch of iridescent gold toning on either side. Well struck devices are frosty and sharp, adding to the excellent eye appeal.

PCGS 950, NGC 488, CAC 257. In MS64+, PCGS has graded 125. Mostly selling in the \$575 to \$660 range, the current PCGS value is listed at \$750. Scarce any finer, the RanJack coin sold for \$3,643 in our July 2018 Regency Auction.

PCGS# 7252 | ESTIMATE: \$575+





# \$1 1898-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

Vibrant and brilliant on both sides, the eye appeal is exceptional for the grade. The strike is sharp for a 98-O with just minor softness in the hair curls. The cheek is so clean, at first glance you would put this GEM in the SUPERB category.

PCGS 2560, NGC 2177, CAC 505. There are 234 graded MS66+ at PCGS and the most recent example to sell in auction realized \$276 in October 2018; previous APRs are in the \$250 to \$400 range. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$350. Surprisingly RARE any finer. Worthy of a premium bid!

PCGS# 7254 | ESTIMATE: \$275+





# LOT 332

### \$1 1898-S PCGS MS66 CAC

This is a date and grade that there is a significant premium for CAC approved examples. This impressive GEM has a great, smooth, clean look. Brilliantly lustrous surfaces have bold, rolling cartwheels on both sides. There are a few minor ticks that can be seen with a powerful glass but none of these have a negative impact on the wonderful naked eye appeal. Again, this is a great coin that shows off the care that the collector took to select coins for this set.

PCGS 87, NGC 8, CAC 19. The last PCGS/CAC MS66 sold for \$5,650 in November 2016. Prior to that, one sold for \$5,405 in an April 2016 auction. Clearly, the current Collector's Universe value is an average of CAC and non-CAC coins, which is why it is so much lower than what CAC coins have sold for. This AMAZING 1898-S dollar will delight any collector of high end Morgans and keep in mind that there are only 15 coins graded finer at PCGS--making this an ideal grade for most collectors, anything finer will cost a five figure price.

PCGS# 7256 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





### LOT 333 \$1 1899 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Borderline SUPERB GEM quality! This is a very eye appealing 1899 dollar with a frosty, satin glow. Boldly defined details and smooth, problem free surfaces combine for a great visual presentation.

One of the lower mintage dates, with only 330,000 struck (less than the famed 89-CC and 95-O rarities).

PCGS 376, NGC 79, CAC 87. There are 56 graded in 66+ at PCGS and the most recent one to sell in auction realized \$3,055 in our July 2018 Regency Auction. The current PCGS value is \$3,250. VERY RARE any finer, with only two dozen examples graded finer at PCGS. Here is a great coin for any PCGS Registry Set.

PCGS# 7258 | ESTIMATE: \$2,400+

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### \$1 1899-O MICRO O. PCGS MS64+ CAC

A very popular variety in essentially GEM quality! Extremely lustrous with a bold satiny sheen that radiates brilliantly on both sides.

Very attractive and well struck for the date, Liberty's hair curls and eagle's breast feathers are very boldly defined. Under close examination with a strong glass, we do note a few tiny traces of contact, but these are totally acceptable for the assigned grade and do not detract from the outstanding eye appeal. There is a delicate blush of the clearest gold at the peripheries.

This distinctive variety was created when the die sinker used the wrong sized O mint mark punch, which is more the same size as on the quarter.

PCGS 8, NGC 2, CAC 5. This is one of four MS64+s graded and there are only three finer at PCGS. The P.F.M. Collection coin was the last one to sell, realizing \$32,900 in our May 2018 Regency Auction; PFM purchased that near-gem for \$29,375 in June 2016. It is important to note that prior to that selling, a PCGS MS64 (no + or CAC) sold for \$49,938 in the 2014 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$40,000. What a rare opportunity of the utmost importance for the advanced Morgan dollar collector, no doubt it should see very strong bidding when it is called to the auction block!

PCGS# 87260 | ESTIMATE: \$30,000+









### \$1 1899-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

An incredible GEM. Blast white silver with a bold swirling cartwheel luster. The devices are sharply struck for the date and the surfaces are very pleasing for the grade.

PCGS 1762, NGC 1228, CAC 364. There are 167 graded MS66+ at PCGS. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$625 and recent PCGS/CAC examples have sold in the general \$400 to \$700 range. Surprisingly rare any finer for a coin with such a large mintage.

PCGS# 7260 | ESTIMATE: \$400+





### LOT 336

### \$1 1899-S PCGS MS65+ CAC

This is a wonderful example of the date. A bold, vibrant mint luster radiates with a strong rolling cartwheel effect on both sides. Showing good definition in the strike, Liberty's hair curls are sharp and there is ample detail in all the other devices. The surfaces are clean, free of any distracting marks or ticks and the eye appeal is enhanced by the most delicate ring of gold at the rims.

PCGS 561, NGC 157, CAC 66. There are 24 graded MS65+ at PCGS, and the only one to sell in 2018 realized \$1,800 (not CAC), and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,150. Very scarce finer.

PCGS# 7262 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+





### LOT 337 \$1 1900 PCGS MS66+ CAC

A highly satiny and frosty GEM that is borderline SUPERB quality. A light pearlescent and delicate gold hue comes out as you rotate the satin smooth surfaces in a light. Well struck and very pleasing.

PCGS 955, NGC 621, CAC 334. PCGS has graded 142 in MS66+. The most recent example that we sold was in July 2018 for \$999 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$1,000. VERY SCARCE in MS67, this is a great, eye appealing example without the MS67 price tag.

PCGS# 7264 | ESTIMATE: \$800+





### LOT 338

### \$1 1900-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

Another high mintage date that is remarkably scarce in the lofty grades of MS66+ and finer. Silken smooth surfaces have a brilliant, swirling cartwheel luster on both sides of this SUPERB untoned GEM.

PCGS 1351, NGC 1020, CAC 411. The last two APRs were in November 2018, one selling for \$504 and the other for \$776 and the current PCGS value is \$850. Fewer than 100 are graded finer, this one is a great looking coin for the grade and worthy of a strong final bid.

PCGS# 7266 | ESTIMATE: \$500+





### \$1 1900-O/CC PCGS MS65+ CAC

This is a very high end example of this popular repunched mintmark variety. An old Carson City reverse die was pressed into use seven years after the mint ended coinage operations. The old mintmark was partially effaced and overpunched with the O.

Sharply struck and boldly lustrous, this high end GEM has just a few minute ticks appropriate for the assigned grade. The eye appeal is very high end and is a delight to behold.

PCGS 956, NGC 184, CAC 119. There are 48 graded MS65+ at PCGS. The last one to sell realized \$1,860 in June 2018 and one sold for \$2,400 in November 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,550. Rare finer, we sold a non-CAC MS66 for \$3,995 in November 2018.

PCGS# 7268 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





## LOT 340

### \$1 1900-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Conditionally RARE any finer, this is as high a grade as most collectors can hope to add to their sets. Ultra clean, and offering a very strong luster that rolls wonderfully on both sides, this Premium Quality GEM has a bold eye appeal. The cheek is smooth and clean and the surfaces are generally free of any traces of contact. Well struck with nearly full definition, the eye appeal is high end and very appealing.

PCGS 127, NGC 24, CAC 31. The most recent CAC-approved example sold in our November 2017 Premier Session for \$2,640 and before that, one sold for \$3,290 in the 2016 ANA auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,750 and we are certain this coin will bring more. Good luck.

PCGS# 7270 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





### LOT 341 \$1 1901 PCGS MS62 CAC

The 1901 is a MAJOR condition rarity. Despite nearly seven million examples churned out at the Philadelphia mint, most either entered commercial channels or any bags that were stored in the treasury department were melted under the auspices of the 1918

Pittman Act.

This CHOICE Mint State example has a bold, radial luster for the grade. Likewise the surfaces are NOT choppy or hacked up; indeed any contact is very minor and barely visible,

even with the aid of a glass. There is a dusting of the clearest pearly gold that gently dusts the surfaces.

PCGS 303, NGC 219, CAC 26. The most recent CAC-approved example to sell in auction was in March 2016, realizing \$5,875; prior to that, one sold in the 2014 FUN auction for \$12,925 and another sold in November 2013 for \$6,463. The current PCGS value is listed at \$5,000 and anything finer is a five figure rarity.

PCGS# 7272 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+





### LOT 342 \$1 1901 DOUBLED DIE REVERSE. PCGS AU58 CAC

VAM-3 Shifted Eagle. On this rare variety the doubling is most evident along the lower eagle's details. Bold satiny luster accents this great looking "GEM" AU, particularly on the reverse. Sharply struck and very pleasing overall. VERY RARE any finer!

PCGS 19, NGC 11, CAC 5. The PFM coin, sold in our May 2018 Regency Auction, brought \$14,100 and more recently one sold in the 2018 ANA auction for \$12,000 and the current

Collector's Universe value is listed at \$16,000. Only four coins are graded finer, and any PCGS-graded example any finer will cost \$30,000+. A real prize for an advanced Morgan dollar collector.

PCGS# 7302 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





LOT 343 \$1 1901-O PCGS MS65+ CAC

In our opinion this GEM is undergraded. We do not guarantee anything here, but we would not blink if this coin was in a 66 holder. Bold vibrant luster beams all over with strong rolling cartwheels. Sharply struck in the devices, this 01-O's eye appeal is further enhanced by a touch of gentle toning.

PCGS 3282, NGC 5552, CAC 183. There are 51 graded in MS65+ at PCGS. A very high end coin that will sell for well in excess of the current PCGS value of \$220. Conservatively graded and beautiful.

PCGS# 7274 | ESTIMATE: \$200+





LOT 344 \$1 1901-S PCGS MS65+ CAC

The 1901-S is a conditionally rare issue in MS65+ and finer grades. This coin is so close to MS66, we think a couple of slag flecks around 3:00 of the obverse is the only thing that keeps this highly lustrous and sharply struck GEM from an even higher grade. Untoned, and otherwise essentially flawless, this 01-S has a bold, and intense flashy luster. With only the slightest touch of softness in strike on the hair curls above Liberty's ear, this coin has a crisp definition on both sides. The eye appeal is remarkable!

PCGS 305, NGC 95, CAC 30. There are only six coins graded 65+ at PCGS and there are 41 graded finer at that service. The only CAC approved example sold for \$5,170 in the 2017 FUN auction and the current PCGS value is listed at \$5,250. Keep this in mind, the last PCGS MS66 CAC was the RanJack coin sold in our July 2018 Regency Auction, and realized \$11,750. Bound for a superb set of Morgan dollars and a strong bid will be required to take this GEM home.

PCGS# 7276 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





### LOT 345 \$1 1902 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Another great looking, lustrous silver GEM. Very pleasing, high end surface quality stands out on this conditionally rare date. Devoid of all but the most microscopic contact. Brilliantly lustrous all over the devices are sharply struck on both sides. Needless to say, the eye appeal is well matched to the other coins in this great Morgan dollar collection.

PCGS 746, NGC 185, CAC 157. There are MS66+ are graded MS66+. We sold the last two PCGS/CAC coins bringing \$880 in September 2018 and \$1,155 in August 2018 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,300. VERY RARE finer.

PCGS# 7278 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





### LOT 346 \$1 1902-O PCGS MS66 CAC

Satiny white and fully frosted, this GEM has a bold luster and sharply defined devices. Even the cheek is smooth, and would please even the fussiest of old time collectors.

PCGS 756, NGC 644, CAC 285. The last two sold for \$336 and the current PCGS Price is \$425. RARE any finer.

PCGS# 7280 | ESTIMATE: \$350+







Extremely lustrous and high end with an essentially GEM eye appeal. The cheek is ultra clean, and the details are very nicely impressed from the dies. A truly wonderful example in this grade, it does have the look of a higher grade.

PCGS 1575, NGC 815, CAC 167. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$875 and the most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in an auction realized \$863. The value more than doubles in MS65 and with this coin's great visual allure, it may bring close to MS65 money.

PCGS# 7282 | ESTIMATE: \$750+





LOT 348 \$1 1903 PCGS MS66+ CAC

SUPERB! Pale, pearly iridescent toning on both sides is truly enhanced by an exceptionally radiant luster. The totally original surfaces stand up to intense inspection with a strong glass.

PCGS 1221, NGC 536, CAC 298. In MS66+ PCGS has graded 102 pieces. The last two sold for \$1,020 and \$1,080 in October and April 2018 respectively and the current PCGS value is \$1,000. RARE finer, this ORIGINAL GEM is worthy of a high end set.

PCGS# 7284 | ESTIMATE: \$800+





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### \$1 1903-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

A well struck borderline- SUPERB GEM example. Untoned white silver luster has a soft satin texture and even under close scrutiny there are no marks of individual importance. This is a famous date among Morgan dollar collectors; prior to release of a hoard in Treasury vaults in the 1960s, this date was among the rarest in Mint State. While scarce in gem, it is RARE in MS66+ or finer.

PCGS 833, NGC 354, CAC 221. There are 71 graded 66+ and the last PCGS/CAC example realized \$1,763 in our September 2018 Regency Auction. The current Collector's Universe value is \$1,850.

Keep in mind that we just sold the RanJack MS67 CAC for \$8,225 in our Regency Auction 27 and another in our November 2018 Regency Auction for \$7,638. Clearly these are RARE any finer!

PCGS# 7286 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+

### LOT 350 \$1 1903-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

Another date that is rarely available in such high grade, especially with CAC endorsement. This one is a borderline-GEM with nice clean and lustrous surfaces, well struck devices and a bold, original visual allure. The reverse has a gentle touch of amber-rose and pewter iridescent toning that is just faintly dusted over the surfaces. A great looking example.

PCGS 275, NGC 104, CAC 44. There are only 12 graded MS64+ and this date is quite scarce any





finer. The only two PCGS/CAC coins to sell in auction sold for \$8,225 and \$8,625 in the 2017 ANA and a February 2012 auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$10,000 and this high end coin could well bring a price like that when the hammer falls, this near GEM is worthy of a very high end set.

PCGS# 7288 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+

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### LOT 351 \$1 1903-S MICRO S. PCGS AU53 CAC EX WURT I

One of the FINEST examples of this RARE Top 100 variety, that is mostly seen in lower grades. It is particularly rare in AU and finer grades, with just a few finer. This variety was created when a mint employee mistakenly used an S punch for a quarter. Light friction is seen on both sides. Very pleasing light gray color and accents of pale gold toning that are accented by strong traces of mint luster.





### PCGS 7, NGC 4, CAC 3. The

last one to sell realized \$8,225 in the 2015 ANA auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$10,000. Only 12 coins are graded finer, this CHOICE AU piece is worthy of a world class collection of Morgan dollar varieties. Good luck!

PCGS# 7306 | ESTIMATE: \$7,000+









### LOT 352 \$1 1904 PCGS MS65+ CAC

A bold, glowing, frosty mint luster blooms with a strong satiny sheen. The surfaces have a pearly-silver texture, while traces of pale gold are seen in areas, and show off a wonderful originality to the surfaces. The eye appeal is quite nice.

PCGS 411, NGC 109, CAC 55. PCGS graded 28 in MS65+ and the only PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction was in April 2017 and sold for \$5,170 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$5,000. VERY RARE any finer and this GEM coin is worthy of a strong bid and placement in a wonderful, high end set.

PCGS# 7290 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

### LOT 353 \$1 1904-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

Full and vibrant lustrous surfaces bloom with a stunning mint fresh and original look. Sharply struck devices have a rich frosty look and brilliant satiny glow. The eye appeal is very high end for date and grade.

PCGS 1241, NGC 1686, CAC 372. There are 145 graded 66+ and just 52 finer. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$675. The last one to sell in auction brought \$552, and the only one we have sold was in July 2016 for \$908. We sold the last two MS67 PCGS/CAC coins, selling for \$4,180 and \$4,348. This coin is worthy of a very high end set and a strong bid.

PCGS# 7292 | ESTIMATE: \$550+





### LOT 354 \$1 1904-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

VERY high end, and a truly wonderful example. Indeed, we rate this 64+ closer to a 65 than a 64, and if it weren't for a tiny line on the cheek, this coin would have likely graded MS65. Highly lustrous surfaces have a strong brilliance on both sides that accents wonderful, high end quality surfaces. Generally clean and free of any singularly distracting traces of contact and the devices are fully struck up and frosty. Areas of the obverse fields have a flashy brilliance with just traces of clear gold. The eye appeal is amazing.

PCGS 49, NGC 232, CAC 86. There are 36 graded MS64+ at PCGS, and the last three examples sold in the \$5,170 to \$5,775 range and the current PCGS value is listed at \$6,500. This is a date that we have had the pleasure of selling some of the FINEST known examples and this one will for sure be in a great set.

PCGS# 7294 | ESTIMATE: \$4,200+





### LOT 355 \$1 1921 MORGAN. PCGS MS66 CAC

After a 17 year hiatus, the Philadelphia mint struck 44,690,000 silver dollars in 1921. This amazing GEM is a great representative of this final date, and is surprisingly RARE in MS66 and finer grades. Sharply struck and boldly lustrous, this GEM has a SUPERB look with a bold contrast on the obverse. The eye appeal is amazing.

PCGS 701, NGC 651, CAC 285. The last one to sell in auction realized \$1,080and the last ten examples have sold in the \$552 to \$4,750 range with the current Collector's Universe value is listed at only \$500. RARE any finer.

PCGS# 7296 | ESTIMATE: \$700+





# \$1 1921-D MORGAN. PCGS MS 66 CAC

The only Denver mint Morgan dollar, and the GEM is high end and very pleasing for the issue. Remarkably rare in SUPERB grades, this brilliant, lustrous white silver dollar has a great look, free of any serious contact, and free of any kind of toning.

PCGS 464, NGC 275, CAC 224. The last one to sell brought \$780 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$700. RARE any finer, this is a great coin worthy of a great collection.

PCGS# 7298 | ESTIMATE: 700+





### LOT 357 \$1 1921-S MORGAN PCGS MS 65+ CAC

Clearly a hand-selected example of this final Morgan dollar issue. A strong, satin-like sheen sets the surfaces aglow. The strike is bold throughout and the devices nicely frosted, standing out against the lustrous fields. You can tell the collector spent a long time trying to find the "right" coin with the combination of strike, clean surfaces, and bold luster.

PCGS 1390, NGC 777, CAC 52. There are only 90 graded by PCGS in MS65+ and this date is RARE any finer. The current CU value is listed at \$1,750, This excellent GEM is a fitting end to our offering of the Star City Collection. This GEM will fit in any high grade set of Morgans!

PCGS# 7300 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

### LOT 358 \$1 1880-S PCGS MS68

Very rarely do we offer reverse toned Morgans, so when one is featured in a Regency Auction, you know it is going to be a true MONSTER TONER.

If the toning happened to be on the obverse, this SUPERB GEM, if available on the market when the Northern Lights Collection was assembled, it would have been included. Blues and greens intermix with vibrant tangerine, lemon-yellow, and florescent pink toning. We rate the color a 9 on our 10-point color scale. The





luster is immaculate on both sides, and the obverse is fully Prooflike with a nearly CAMEO like contrast that is exceptionally eye catching as well. The eye appeal is VERY special and this SUPERB GEM will see very strong bidding for sure.

PCGS 225, NGC 280. The current PCGS value is listed at \$5,650 and with its great eye appeal, we know it will sell for a level in excess of that amount. Worthy of inclusion in any collection of truly spectacular toned Morgans.

PCGS# 7118 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+





LOT 359 \$1 1881-S PCGS MS67 CAC

Wonderfully toned, SUPERB, and original. A vivid luster bursts forth from below rich violet, blue, magenta, gold, and accents of emerald, olive, and sky blue. The color is bold and visually impressive, we rate the color a 9 on our 10-point color scale. The surfaces are smooth and free of any serious distracting marks, certainly none that detract from the outstanding eye appeal.

PCGS# 7130 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+

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### LOT 360 \$1 1881-S NGC MS67 DMPL

Strong, beaming mirrors flash with a blinding, icy reflectivity and depth of clarity reserved only for the FINEST of DMPLs. This one is tied for second finest graded at either service.

The untoned surfaces have a dramatic look with a bold, CAMEO like contrast. All the details have a razor sharp impression and are fully frosted, standing out wonderfully from the deeply reflective mirrored fields. The fields have full 8" deep mirrors that would delight

even the pickiest of old timers. There are only a few tiny, miniscule contact ticks, that are exaggerated by the DMPL surfaces, and none of which affect the wonderful eye appeal.

PCGS 6, NGC 7. Finer in terms of eye appeal than any of the other NGC coins that have sold in auction, going back many years. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$9,500 and a similar looking coin, graded by PCGS, ex Naples II Collection, sold for \$14,950 in the 2012 FUN auction. Only two coins are graded finer at NGC, the most recent selling back in 2006. This is a VERY RARE opportunity to acquire one of the FINEST 1881-S DMPL dollars certified by either service. Good luck!

PCGS# 97131 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+





LOT 361 \$1 1883 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Not a date we see much at all with Northern Lights like toning! Outstanding quality is also a highlight here.

Mark free and smooth surfaces are a perfect pallet for outrageous colors. The obverse has color mix we rank a full 9+ on our 1-10 (10 is the best) color scale. This coin would have made the Northern Lights Collection. A sultry mix of deeper green/violet/purple/blue swirls around the entire obverse evenly. The colors are just dazzling. Of course you can still see the sharply struck detail and the eye appeal is sensational!

PCGS# 7142 | ESTIMATE: 2,500+





### LOT 362 \$1 1883-O PCGS MS67

This is a conditionally RARE date in MS67. The presently offered coin is quite handsome with a bold look. Fully brilliant silver surfaces show off an amazing mint luster that runs unimpeded on both sides. The strike, while somewhat blunt does show good definition to the details in Liberty's hair. Her cheek is clean and the surfaces are essentially flawless; the eye appeal is great.

PCGS 95, NGC 42. The last one to sell realized \$3,525 in our September 2018 Regency Auction on a \$2,500-\$3,000 estimate. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,400. Only 8 coins have ever graded higher, all are MS67+.

PCGS# 7146 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+





LOT 363 \$1 1885-O PCGS MS66 CAC

This is a great looking toner, one we named the "Green Monster." A variety of neon and earthy verdant tones blend with some light blue, lilac, and gold tones. We rate the colors an 8.5+ on our 10-point scale. Nicely struck on both sides, the eye appeal is SUPERB and worthy of a world class toner collection. This type of green toning like this does not appear with any frequency.

PCGS# 7162 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





LOT 364 \$1 1886 PCGS MS67+ CAC

We have seen many killer Morgans since handling the Ranjack, PFM, and Coronet Collections. In our opinion this 1886 blows away all the competition by miles. We grade it an MS67.9++++! PCGS showed it no mercy.

Unbelievable surfaces are as clean and mark free at any level as you will ever see. Using a strong glass all you see is a planchet crack and really nothing else. A full booming luster adds to the coins significance and beams from all over. This coin is a gorgeous white with NO spots. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and have delicate frost. Her cheek will blow away even the pickiest "old time" collector as it is perfect. The eye appeal is sensational!

PCGS 470, NGC 973, CAC 360. PCGS has graded 82 in MS67+. The last PCGS CAC piece sold in auction for \$3,525 in July 2018. This wicked cool coin should easily bring that since we grade it nearly a full MS68 (worth \$30,000+). Good luck!

PCGS# 7166 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





LOT 365 \$1 1886-S PCGS MS65

Only 750,000 were struck, and the date is scarce in 65, RARE any finer!

Frosty and lustrous with a decent strike. The surfaces show only a few microscopic marks, none worthy of singular mention.

PCGS 382, NGC 117. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,000 and the most recent examples sold in the \$1,500-\$1,800 range. Keep in mind that the price jumps in MS66. Good luck!

PCGS# 7170 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





### LOT 366 \$1 1887 PCGS MS65 CAC

A beautifully toned GEM. Elegant azure, teal, gold, aqua, rose, violet toning covers the entirety of the obverse and we rate the nearly Northern Lights caliber toning a 9 on our 10 point scale. The eye appeal is bold, and there are just a few minor ticks noted under the gorgeous obverse color. The reverse has a wonderful band of rainbow toning, which, if a little wider, would rate a 9 as well. A great coin for any toned Morgan dollar collector that is worthy of a premium bid!

PCGS# 7172 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

### LOT 367 \$1 1893 PCGS MS64+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION



What a lovely, untoned, borderline-GEM example of this semi-KEY date. Demand for circulating coinage dropped during the financial panic of 1893, and only 389,000 Morgan dollars were struck. This is an optimal grade for collectors, as it becomes difficult to find in MS65 or better grades.

Boldly lustrous, this untoned beauty has a brilliant flash on both sides. Sharply struck on both sides, a strong glass reveals only the most insignificant marks or ticks.

PCGS 1403, NGC 671, CAC 133. PCGS has graded 77 in MS64+. The most recent PCGS/CAC example realized \$2,280 in a March 2018 auction and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,850. Keep in mind that any PCGS/CAC MS65 will cost \$6,500 or more! The MS64+ is an ideal grade for most collectors and we know there will be strong demand for this one!

### LOT 368 \$1 1898-O PCGS MS67+ CAC Truly a magnificent SUPERB

Truly a magnificent SUPERB GEM, clearly among the FINEST KNOWN and tied for FINEST PCGS graded.

A strong, swirling, brilliant cartwheel luster blooms all over. The razor sharp struck devices are boldly frosted on both sides. Liberty's cheek has ultra thick velvety frost that is unmarred by any lines or marks. Indeed there may be one or two seen with a strong glass, none of which are in a prime focal area, nor do they detract at all. The eye appeal is exceptional, brilliant, and very high end.





PCGS 306, NGC 186, CAC 102. There are 18 graded MS67+ and NONE FINER at PCGS. The two most recent examples to sell in auction were in our November and July 2018 Regency Auctions, realizing \$11,163 and \$12,338 respectively. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$15,000 and as one of the FINEST known, we are sure it will bring a very strong bid to one of the top ranking collectors of Morgan dollars. Action will be fierce for this one.

### PCGS# 7254 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





### LOT 369 \$1 1898-O PCGS MS66+ PL CAC

A SUPERB coin with glorious, flashy, cartwheel luster that has a bold reflectivity and richly mirrored fields. Sharply struck and displaying magnificent PQ surfaces, this coin has a very impressive visual appeal.

PCGS 63, NGC 21, CAC 21. There are 6 in MS66+ PL. The last one to sell realized \$1,020 in November 2018 and prior to that, there was one in October 2015 that brought \$1,116 and in October 2014 one that sold for \$1,293. The current PCGS value is \$1,450 and there are just 4 coins graded finer at PCGS.

PCGS# 7255 | ESTIMATE: 1,000+





LOT 370 \$1 1899-S PCGS MS65

Satin, vibrant mint brilliance glows on both obverse and reverse of this GEM 99-S. Well struck, this coin has generally clean surfaces and good eye appeal.

PCGS 543, NGC 158. Eight of these have sold between January and September 2018 in the \$1,320 and \$1,860 range and the current Collector's Universe value is \$1,750. This date becomes quite scarce any finer.

PCGS# 7262 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 371 \$1 1904-O PCGS MS65 CAC

The famed 70's and 80's era artist Peter Max could not paint anything this wild! The colors swirl in a pattern we have never seen.

Boldly prooflike obverse surfaces are super clean and go kaboom all over with flash. The reverse is mostly white with a hint of gold. The colors are to die for. Incredible shades of electric aqua green/violet/amber make a monster crescent on the left obverse. Even wilder shades of sparkling baby blue/plum/orange/electric reddish gold are included. The pattern of the toning is nothing like we have ever seen before. On a scale of 1-10 (10 is the best) this coin does rank a 9+ for color. This is a coin you want to frame and put on your wall. The eye appeal is insane!

PCGS# 7292 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+





LOT 372 \$1 1921-D MORGAN. PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is a SUPERB toned 21-D Morgan and a coin whose dramatic visual allure complements the gorgeous coin we sold in our September 2018 Regency Auction, lot 504.

The obverse is richly toned in shades of orange-gold, salmon, magenta, gold, and tangerine, with accents of crimson, electric lime, and royal blue. The variegated shades really pop when the superb cartwheel luster is captured by the light. The surfaces are truly brilliant and we rate the color as a 9 on our color scale.

The previously mentioned 21-D sold for 21-D for \$2,291 and with such a colorful look, this SUPERB GEM will bring an equally impressive sum!

PCGS# 7298 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

### **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on **HAMMER**. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

These published estimates represent what Legend Rare Coin Auctions determines to be an approximate high wholesale value for the coin. The numbers are based upon current market values, similar trades, auction prices, published prices, and a consideration of the coin's quality. There is no guarantee that the estimated prices are minimums or are exactly what you can expect to get if you attempt to resell them wholesale.

We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!





### LOT 373 \$1 1882 PCGS PR68 CAC

Virtual perfection! Not only is this high end, SUPERB GEM wonderfully preserved, it shows off a magnificent original toning that will forever remain in the memory of everyone who has had the privilege of viewing it!

The rich, dramatic toning was imparted from long term storage in the original tissue paper from the mint. Rotating the deeply reflective surfaces in a light, every color of the rainbow appears in a truly UNIQUE pattern. The mirrors really are very deep and underneath the color, they offer a bold clarity that is often lost on coins with such thick toning. The devices are RAZOR sharp in definition and they are nicely frosted, though because of the toning there is not enough contrast for a CAMEO designation. The surfaces are essentially PERFECT and FLAWLESS, even with a strong glass you will not find anything to talk about at all. The eye appeal is totally original, unique, very high end, and SUPERB!

PCGS 5, NGC 6, CAC 3. The only recent comps, and this coin is NOT one of them, is a PCGS/CAC coin that sold in the 2017 FUN auction for \$25,850 and an NGC/CAC coin that sold in September 2014 for \$38,188. The current Collector's Universe value is approximately the midpoint of those two APRs, listed at \$31,500. NONE are graded finer in the designation, making this one an opportunity of the utmost importance among Proof Morgan dollar specialists!

We can see strong bidding here. Good luck!

PCGS# 7317 | ESTIMATE: \$28,000+





LOT 374 \$1 1889 PCGS PR64 CAM CAC

We would bet in the old days prior to third party grading, this coin easily would have been called a GEM. No question this is a VERY HIGH END coin.

Extremely deep mirrors boldly beam from all over. The mirrors are also super clear and clean. When using a strong glass all we could find were some really light lines on the face that could keep this piece from a PR65 Cameo designation. There is a touch of original gold/russet color by the rims. The contrast is bold. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted a silvery color and are fully struck. The eye appeal is fantastic!

Only 811 minted. PCGS 19, NGC 11, CAC 8. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell in auction brought \$4,320 in June 2018. Th current Collectors Universe value is \$5,000. We can see this coin bringing that or more. The coin really is that nice!

PCGS# 7324 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





LOT 375 \$1 1896 PCGS PR63 DCAM CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Upon first glance, you would think this stunning black and white contrasted DCAM was a full GEM. Only under a strong glass can you see a few minor lines on Liberty's otherwise beautifully frosted cheek. Every detail is fully and crisply struck with a bold, frosty silver white surfaces. The incredible mirrors are smooth, glassy, and are the epitome of cleanliness, clarity, and beaming reflection! The eye appeal is SUPERB for the assigned grade!

Only 762 were minted. PCGS 3, NGC 0, CAC 3. This is the coin that sold for \$4,994 in our Regency Auction VI, February 2014, lot 242. The current PCGS value is listed at \$4,500. The 1896 is one of the BEST produced Proofs, but are remarkably hard to find in DCAM grades lower than PR65. We think this gorgeous coin will see very strong bidding activity when it crosses the block!

PCGS# 97331 | ESTIMATE: \$3,800+





### LOT 376 \$1 1897 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

This is a VERY HIGH END true Cameo piece. It is NOT a retread and is making its first appearance on the scene in 20+ years. So far everyone's reaction to this beast is WOW! Why PCGS did not + it, is anyone's guess. Intense deep mirrors beam from all over. The mirrors have bold cleanliness and clarity (NO haze). The contrast is an amazing silvery black and white. When the coin is twirled, the mirrors flow like a river of liquid mercury that nearly blinds you. There are NO spots or any detractions. It looks like just a

few microscopic die polishing lines are all that keep this coin from PR67 Cameo. Miss Liberty and every detail are fully struck and have thick silvery frosting. The eye appeal is tremendous!

Only 731 were minted. PCGS 5 NGC 7, CAC 1. The pop in PR66 is mind boggling to us after 30+ years of operations and how many CAC has beaned in PR 66 to date. Even more crazy-the last auction appearance of ANY PR66 Cameo 1897 was in 2009! In PR67 Cameo CAC, one sold for \$23,500 in 2016. The rarity of this date and grade are PROVEN.

If you like bold and tougher PR Morgan's, or are building a superior set, this coin should be included in your plans. This is not a date or grade you can find. Be prepared and good luck!

PCGS# 87332 | ESTIMATE: \$11,500+





# LOT 377 \$1 1898 PCGS PR67 DCAM

AWESOME AND THEN SOME! OMG! This is one of the most bada\*\* DCameo's you will EVER see!

First, there are more lines on the holder then the coin. The mirrors are endlessly deep and beam relentlessly from all over. The mirrors are incredibly clean and clear. The flash nearly blinds you. When you twirl the coin, the mirrors roll like fresh liquid mercury. Miss Liberty and the details look like they were sculpted from a fresh block of ice. Every minute detail stands out. We think one incredibly tiny line is all that kept this coin from a bean and/or a higher designation and a bean. There really is nothing wrong here.

The eye appeal is out of this world!

Only 735 minted. PCGS 15, NGC 15. The current Collector's Universe Value is \$30,000. We've seen similar coins trade for up to \$40,000. We strongly suggest you make the time to see this remarkable SUPERB GEM. You will never forget it!

PCGS# 97333 | ESTIMATE: \$30,000+





LOT 378 \$1 1923-S PCGS MS64

Splashes of gold, magenta, teal, and icy blue blend with a pleasing dappled look on the obverse. Lustrous surfaces have minor contact under the toning. The overall eye appeal is unique and these are rare with any kind of attractive toning, thus worthy of a premium bid.

PCGS# 7362 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+





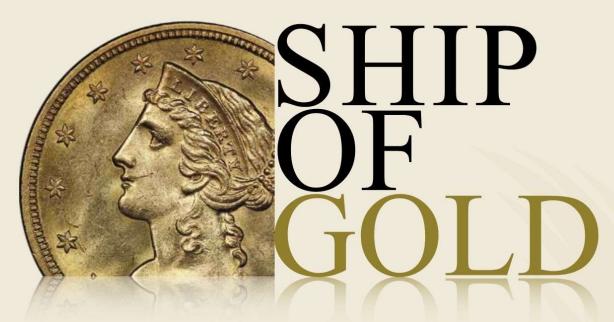
LOT 379 \$1 1925 PCGS MS64+ CAC

This coin is yet another example of when Mother Nature and the US Mint work together to put on a show! WOW! This is the wildest toned 1925 Peace dollar we have had the pleasure of offering. We do consider it one of the FINEST toned Peace dollars that exists, and the consignor paid a strong \$5,000 for it in a private treaty.

Both sides are awash in a stunning, original melange of vivid colors. Deep aubergine, cranberry. and tangerine hues blend with icy teal, apricot-gold, and emerald toning all over. We rate the colors as a 9+ on our 10-point color scale, and the blend of colors, for a Peace dollar, are off the charts! We expect a record price for this one when it crosses the block, as you know, MONSTER toned Peace dollars are far and away much RARER than Morgan dollars.

PCGS# 7365 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

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Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to offer this incredible selection of gold coins from the famed "Ship of Gold" the S.S. Central America. Included are pieces that are among the FINEST KNOWN examples of their respective issues that, if not for the time capsule, preserved at the depths of the Atlantic Ocean off of the Carolinas, collectors would never be able to obtain such high-grade specimens for their collections!

The story of the sidewheel steamer Central America is well known among collectors, ever since the treasure was discovered on September 11, 1987. Much has been written about the shipwreck, volumes of pages, many articles, etc. Here is the brief story. After gold was discovered in the America River at Sutter's Mill, California in 1848, a mass migration of people went west, looking to stake their claims and reap fortunes in the gold fields. Those lucky enough to find gold needed a way to convert the raw gold into currency. The overland journey to the closest federal mint would take months, so enterprising business men established local assay offices and coining operations. Some of these were legitimate firms whose coins were widely accepted, while others were downright fraudulent. Something needed to be done, so in 1854, a federal mint was established in San Francisco, tasked with churning out millions of gold coins per year from freshly mined ore, and gold from other sources (such as earlier "territorial" coins that were assayed and converted to federal coinage).

Travel was very primitive, with overland treks being taken in Conestoga and other covered wagons and coaches. Taking this route would involve lots of risks, including starvation, disease, and possible attacks from Native American tribes. The trip could take months over uninviting terrain and hostile areas. The other option favored by many was to take a steam ship from San Francisco to Panama. A newly completed rail line crossed the isthmus at its narrowest point, and another ship would take passengers along the eastern route, through the Gulf of Mexico to Cuba, then to the Eastern coast of the United States.

One of the ships that made the eastern leg was the side-wheel steamer, the S.S. Central America. The 272-foot ship had made the voyage 43 times before, and its September 1857 trip should have been routine. Carrying a massive cargo of gold, valued at \$1.6 million dollars in 1857 dollars, and 578 passengers and crew members, it was heading to New York City. The gold was to be delivered in an effort to shore up eastern and northern financial institutions that had been caught in a speculative bubble involving rail roads and insurance.

While sailing up the eastern seaboard from Havana, Cuba, the ship encountered a massive hurricane off the Carolina coast. On September 12, 1857, the ship foundered, taking on too much water that put out the fires in the boilers. The ship went down, taking with it all that gold and 425 souls. The loss caused a massive panic on Wall Street, with a major run on the banks. Without the precious cargo of gold coins, many banks had to close. The Panic of 1857 was one of the worst financial crises in the history of the



United States. As the panic deepened, it further drove a wedge between the industrial and commercial interests of the north and the agrarian based economy of the south. Less than four years later, these differences led to the Civil War.

In the 1980s, a team of deep-water explorers using state of the art equipment searched for the wreckage of the S.S. Central America, and nearly 130 years to the day, they found the shipwreck. Within a year or two, three tons of gold had been recovered. The find proved to be an excellent time capsule, revealing much about the coins and ingots of gold that were used between banks, as well as what was in people's personal possessions. Awe inspiring amounts of gold, from sacks of gold dust, individual rare coins from various U.S., Territiorial, and even foreign issues, to large quantities of double eagles direct from the mint, to gold bricks assayed by various San Francisco firms that weighed from a few to hundreds of ounces, were discovered.

A long legal battle took place. The successor firms of those that insured the ship wanted to recover their payout. Finally, in 1999, the first coins and ingots hit the market in a December auction conducted by Sotheby's in New York City. A second sale, conducted by Christie's and Spink America took place in December the following year. The remaining coins, mostly 1856 and 1857 double eagles from the San Francisco mint were sold by a group of major dealers that formed the California Gold Marketing Group. A big splash was made at various numismatic conventions in 2000 with the Ship of Gold display, one of the most popular exhibits at that year's ANA convention in Philadelphia.

Another expedition took place in 2014. Again, after much legal drama, additional coins were brought up, and again, conserved by the experts at PCGS. This time, only 3,154 coins total were salvaged. Our sister firm, Legend Numismatics, was given an opportunity to buy some of the FINEST examples from this second round, including the majority of the CAC-approved pieces, and many sold quickly. We have been honored with another powerful consignment of coins from this second round.

Lots of great information is out there for collectors. In 2002, Q. David Bowers authored a 1,000+ page tome, A California Gold Rush History, featuring treasure from the S.S. Central America, that was published by the California Gold Marketing Group. The leader of the expeditions, Tommy Thompson wrote about the shipwreck and its recovery in a wonderfully illustrated book called America's Lost Treasure. A more novel-like read is Gary Kinder's colorfully titled, Ship of Gold in the Deep Blue Sea, gives a fuller, more descriptive accounting of the saga.

The lots that follow represent relics from one of the most historically relevant shipwrecks in American history. While all shipwreck recovered coins attract lots of attention from advanced collectors and non-numismatic buyers as well, few have had the historical impact of the S.S. Central America. This is the last group to come up from the ocean floor, so this is your last opportunity to acquire these genuine treasure ship coins!



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### LOT 380

### \$3 1857-S PCGS MS63 EX S.S. CENTRAL AMERICA

An exceptional example of this conditionally RARE \$3 gold piece. It is amazing that some of the FINEST known examples for the date were recovered from the second round of coins recovered from the S.S. Central America.

Distinctive reflective luster beams on brilliantly lustrous and exceptional quality surfaces. The surfaces have a delightful, vibrant orange-gold patina with lighter yellow gold highlights. Sharply struck devices do stand out with a strong frosty texture, giving both sides an almost cameo-like contrast. Both sides have a few minor lines and a tiny planchet fleck or two, but the eye appeal is amazing! When you consider that this CHOICE 57-S \$3 sat at the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean for 160 years, the quality is even more remarkable!

PCGS 1, NGC 0. There were only three others that were found on the ship in higher grade. This is only the second Mint State example of the date graded by PCGS to sell this decade. The other was the MS64 that brought \$76,375 in the Pogue Collection. With its important historical provenance of the S.S. Central America, high end eye appeal, and stronger market conditions, this coin will likely bring close to the current Collector's Universe value of \$85,000. A real prize for any collector of shipwreck gold or \$3 gold pieces.

We know it will command very strong bidding!

PCGS# 670757 | ESTIMATE: \$65,000+

### LOT 381 \$5 1857-S PCGS MS64 EX S.S. CENTRAL AMERICA Forget about this being a Ship Wreck piece, this is one HIGH END and really neat coin! Not only is it fully

CHOICE, it has a superb look!

Brilliant satiny and frosty lustrous with a delicate light golden overtone. Only a few trivial ticks and marks can be seen and you really need a glass to see them. A slightly reflective flash to the fields. Obviously several of these pieces were early strikes and there actually is a touch of contrast with Miss Liberty and the details have thick frosting and are sharply struck. The eye appeal is fabulous!

There were 3 MS64s that came from round 2 of the shipwreck and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$43,500. So far, none have sold in auction. Two other MS64s from the FIRST S.S. Central America recovery have sold in auction, both in the original December 2000 Christie's Auction, realizing \$20,700 and \$36,600. Worthy of a strong bid from the advanced collector of Liberty half eagles and should see very spirited bidding.

PCGS# 670803 | ESTIMATE: \$40,000+







### LOT 382 \$5 1857-S PCGS MS64 CAC EX S.S. CENTRAL AMERICA

This is a truly gorgeous GEM example of this conditionally RARE No Motto \$5. Bold, satiny luster sets the brilliantly lustrous surfaces afire with a strong cartwheel flash. A few ancient lines are scattered in the otherwise ultra clean surfaces and can only be seen at certain angles. The fields have accents of a deeper, tangerine-rose gold color that contrasts with the brilliant gold that dominates. Struck from an obverse die that has a re-punched 7 in the dies. The eye appeal is exceptional and the epitome of VERY HIGH END quality; it is a shock to think that this coin sat at the bottom of the ocean for so long!

Before the recovery of the S.S. Central America, this was nearly unheard of in Mint State. In fact, the Ed Milas coin, which was sold in May 1995, was called "Possibly the Finest Known" by Stack's, was NGC-graded MS61. With the recovery of the S.S. Central America, a few more Mint State coins came out, but is still a VERY RARE date in such a lofty state of preservation. David Akers wrote the grade most likely to be seen is only VF or EF, and Walter Breen said the date was "prohibtively rare above EF" Both these references were written before the S.S. Central America came up. Famed collections like Norweb and James A. Stack coins were cataloged raw and as being in the XF range. The Bass coin was ex Eliasberg and was graded MS61 by PCGS when sold in 2000.

PCGS 6, NGC 0, CAC 4. The second round of recovered coins has 3 in MS64. None have sold since the first round of S.S. Central America coins were sold at Christie's. One sold for \$36,800 in December 2000. This one is bound for a world class set of No Motto half eagles.

PCGS# 670803 | ESTIMATE: \$45,000+

### \$5 1857-S PCGS MS65 EX S.S. CENTRAL AMERICA

This is an AMAZING GEM quality early Liberty Head half eagle, and it has the hone or being among the absolute FINEST KNOWN of the date.

Remarkable quality! Beaming, highly lustrous, cartwheel surfaces blaze with an intense vibrance on both sides. Bright, shining yellow gold color gleams and beams all over accenting the sharply struck devices. Every detail is sharply struck and rendered to its finest advantage. Only the most minute trace of contact can be seen on either side, and is invisible to the naked eye. This is a true GEM quality No Motto \$5, a rarity regardless of date, and the eye appeal is amazing for a coin that spent 160 years under the Atlantic Ocean off the Carolina Coast.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. Remarkably there are two coins finer at PCGS from the wreck, a 65+ and a 66. None of these GEMS have ever sold in auction and as a type coin this is a remarkable opportunity. Do not let it pass you by!

PCGS# 670803 | ESTIMATE: \$100,000+







### LOT 384 \$10 1853/'2' PCGS MS61 CAC EX S.S. CENTRAL AMERICA

A remarkable MINT STATE survivor of this very scarce overdate variety. A faint trace of the 2 can be seen under the bottom loop of the 3.

Pale wheat-gold color is brought out by a full satiny yellow gold luster that gleams on unworn and fully Mint State surfaces. Well struck and with just a few tiny ticks this coin has a marvelous look. Since this coin is dated four years prior to the shipwreck, this coin was very likely in the pocket of someone on the ship when it went down. Its status as the only example found in the second round of the shipwreck adds further support for this theory.

PCGS 3, NGC 1, CAC 1. Its status as one of the FINEST 1853/2 eagles will easily vault it to the attention of anyone building the FINEST of sets. The most recent Mint State example of the date was the NGC MS62 that was in the February 2018 sale of the Admiral Collection that brought a record of \$43,200. The current PCGS value for this coin is \$35,000 and this coin will likely bring that or more. It is a great coin worthy of a WORLD CLASS cabinet! Good luck!

PCGS# 670813 | ESTIMATE: \$35,000+

#### LOT 385 \$20 1854 KELLOGG PCGS MS62+ CAC

K-1B, considered R-5. This is one of the FINEST KNOWN 1854 Kellogg \$20s that exists and that it has the added provenance of being from the wreck of the S.S. Central America means that for most of the years that collecting rare coins as a hobby in the United States, this remarkable CHOICE coin was unknown and unavailable to every collector until now. It is estimated that approximately 300,000 were originally minted, but the vast majority of them were melted down once the federal mint in San Francisco was opened and federally issued double eagles were being produced. Today, these are known mostly in circulated grades, around XF grade being average. Coins with post mintage problems like cleaning, damage, etc are the norm.

Bold satiny mint frost glows in the fields of this well preserved beauty. Rich, orange gold color is brought to life by the vivid luster. As you rotate the coin in a light a touch of the lightest olive accents can be found. Every detail is sharply struck and stands out with razor sharp definition. There are a few minor ticks and stray lines that come to view with the aid of a powerful loupe, certainly none of them distract the eye or cause any issue with the absolutely amazing eye appeal.

PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 3. This is the ONLY MS62+ known and the FINEST example to come from the second recovery from the S.S. Central America. Finding APRs for such a stunning coin is difficult. Over a decade ago, the Madison Collection had a PCGS MS64 that brought \$299,000. With its provenance that goes back to 1857, and making its first public auction appearance, this CHOICE Mint State Kellogg \$20 is worthy of the FINEST of collections of Territorial gold. We know that it will see fierce bidding when it crosses the block. This coin encapsulates so much history from this important era of our nation's past--a real tangible connection to those days. Good luck!

PCGS# 675718 | ESTIMATE: \$140,000+







LOT 386 G\$1 A. BECHTLER 27 GR, 21 CARATS. PCGS AU50 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

K-24. Struck from Carolina Gold by August Bechtler, circa 1842-1850. One of the more available varieties, listed as R-3 in the Kagin reference.

This pleasing coin is the antithesis of what you normally see. The surfaces are unconserved and have a rich olive-gold toning. The surfaces are nice and smooth and show not distracting marks and

just some minor, light wear from a brief stay in honest circulation. Struck from locally mined gold, which was also a source of metal for the Charlotte and Dahlonega mint. Coins that had a blend of silver in the alloy tend to, when not cleaned or conserved take on this delicate olive patina. This coin has great eye appeal.

PCGS 83, NGC 2, CAC 11. The most recent example sold for \$3,250 in June 2018 and before that, one sold for \$4,935 in June 2015. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,000 and as a popular Territorial type coin, this original AU example will entice strong bidding from anyone looking to start collecting coins of this popular specialty.

PCGS# 10040 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+







FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

LOT 387
G\$1 1849 OPEN WREATH. PCGS MS64 CAC
FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a borderline GEM example of the first year of the denomination! Really, only a few light breaks in the frost keep this coin from grading MS65, but regardless, the surfaces are clean and boast a full, bold satiny, golden luster. Sharply struck and nicely frosted devices, this coin has the look of a higher grade.

PCGS 197, NGC 129, CAC 36. This coin was purchased from our first Regency Auction, December 2012, lot 230, where it realized \$1,975. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,800 and this coin should bring a premium bid when it crosses the block. Keep in mind that the value more than doubles to \$4,500 in MS65.

PCGS# 7502 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

This is NOT your typical Type II gold dollar in MS61, or any grade! A rich overlay of mixed rainbow iridescent toning is suffused on impressive original orange gold surfaces. Shades of rich amber-orange, magenta, rose, violet, and crimson make their presence known when you rotate the generally clean and lustrous surfaces in a light. Sharply struck from clashed dies. We are just amazed at the STUNNING look of this modestly graded gold dollar. Truly a remarkable and memorable example of this short lived type coin.

PCGS 242, MGC 580, CAC 26. In June 2014, this amazing coin brought a very strong price of \$2,820, based on its beautiful look. In today's market, with beautifully toned coins bringing very strong prices, it would not be a surprise if the coin realized that or more! We can almost assure you that you will not find another coin like this!

PCGS# 7532 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+





LOT 389
G\$1 1857-S PCGS AU58 CAC
FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Much scarcer than the mintage of 10,000 might suggest and these are incredibly RARE in Mint State, putting large demand on high end AU coins like this one. Surprisingly, there does not seem to have been any recovered from the S.S. Central America shipwreck. As such, most of those minted went into circulation, this date is very rare in Mint State, and most are worn. Only the most insignificant trace of friction keeps this coin from a full Mint State grade. Well struck and offering a really cool look with totally original coloration.

PCGS 9, NGC 34, CAC 8. The last one to sell in auction brought \$2,820 in the 2017 ANA auction and prior to that one sold in September 2016 for \$2,850. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,000. PCGS has graded only seven coins finer, and there has not been a Mint State coin graded by PCGS sold since 2006!





LOT 390
G\$1 1860 PCGS MS64 CAC
FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Here is a very pleasing example of this conditionally RARE date. Excellent surfaces offer a few light and scattered frost breaks/ticks. To the naked eye the surfaces appear smooth. A good luster does beam from all over. Both sides are a deeper totally original gold color. There are no spots or stains. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and are sharply struck. The eye appeal is wonderful!

PCGS 20, NGC 12, CAC 5. This is the coin that sold in our September 2018 Premier Session auction for \$2,090 and was the last coin this collector added to this collection. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,400 and it is VERY RARE any finer!

PCGS# 7555 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

PCGS# 7547 | ESTIMATE: \$2,600+





LOT 391 G\$1 1860-S PCGS MS63 FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very pretty and CHOICE example of this very scarce date. Only 13,000 were struck and only 175 are estimated to survive in all grades, 20 in all Mint State grades (per PCGS CoinFacts). Well struck up with semi-Prooflike, rich orange-gold surfaces. While the initial look is that of a higher grade, close inspection shows some very minor marks consistent with the assigned grade.

PCGS 7, NGC 5. This was the most recent example to sell in auction, bringing \$5,170 in the 2017 FUN auction. That was the first one to sell since March 2008! Clearly these do not appear with any frequency. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$6,250; the next grade up will cost close to \$10,000!

PCGS# 7557 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





LOT 392 G\$1 1867 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Very high end for the grade and offering a fully PL look with bold cameo-like contrast on both sides. boldly struck from clashed dies, every detail is fully rendered with an exacting blow from the dies. The eye appeal is very high end indeed! Only 5,200 were struck and PCGS CoinFacts estimates 150 survive in all grades.

PCGS 15, NGC 9, CAC 5. VERY RARE any finer! The last PCGS graded MS64 sold in October 2006, clearly these do not appear with any frequency! The last MS65 sold in auction in 2005. Worthy of any collection of gold dollars, we anticipate the bidding activity will exceed the current PCGS Price Guide value of \$3,200. Good luck!

PCGS# 7566 | ESTIMATE: \$2,800+

#### LOT 393 G\$1 1870 PCGS MS65 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.





What a pleasure it is to look at this GEM 1870 gold dollar! RARE in GEM and higher, the mintage was limited to 6,300. This entirely original example has great color and luster. Well struck and free of any distracting marks or lines.

PCGS 12, NGC 4, CAC 3. No CAC approved example has ever sold in auction. The last PCGS coin sold over two years ago for \$3,525 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$4,650. VERY RARE any

finer, especially with CAC approval. If you are building a set of gold dollars, you may look no further if you need a GEM quality example!

PCGS# 7569 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+

#### LOT 394 G\$1 1875 PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION

ALL hail the King! This is a SUPER HIGH END example of an extremely rare and classic rarity date. This cataloger has enjoyed looking at this coin daily!

Fully proof like mirrors beam intensely from all over. No imagination is needed. The mirrors show just a few old small cuts/lines and a fleck. The mirrors are clear. Both sides enjoy an original bold orange gold color.





Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and are heavily frosted. Even using a strong glass it is really hard to find any wear. There are no discolorations of the high points. The overall eye appeal is heart pounding!

Only 400 were minted. PCGS 11, NGC 4, CAC 4. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell in auction brought \$7,638 in September 2013; 5 long years ago. Since then our sister company Legend PAID \$9,000 for one in 2017. Do not let the pop reports fool you, this is a very rare date in ALL grades.

PCGS# 7576 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+





LOT 395 G\$1 1880 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Stunning in every way! Deeply reflective mirrored fields beam from all over, indeed at first glance you might mistake this Prooflike GEM for a GEM Proof! The sharply struck reliefs are frosted and do stand out with a cameo-like appearance. Richly toned with multihued gold, orange, and rose highlights. The eye appeal is simply stunning and very high end for the grade. Housed in an old green tag holder.

Only 1,600 were minted, most of these remain in Mint State.

PCGS 75, NGC 52, CAC 17. You can toss out the other APRs and the current Price Guide values and just look at the amazing quality and bid accordingly!

PCGS# 7581 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





LOT 396 G\$1 1883 PCGS MS66 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

With only 10,800 struck, the 1883 is a lower mintage issue, and this PQ GEM is a delightful survivor that will entice any collector. Awesome, lustrous surfaces display hints of a bold reflective Prooflike flash. The devices are sharply impressed on both sides and the surfaces are devoid of anything but the most minute tick or two, visible only with a strong glass. The eye appeal is amazing.

PCGS 86, NGC 45, CAC 25. The most recent example sold in auction in June 2018 for \$1,320. Prior to that one sold in June 2016 for \$2,585. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,600 and keep in mind that anything finer will cost a hefty premium to this GEM. Worthy of a great gold dollar set.

PCGS# 7584 | ESTIMATE: \$1,250+





LOT 397
G\$1 1887 PCGS MS66 CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

A stunning late date gold dollar that we can stare at all day long! Everything about this GEM screams quality. From the rich orange-gold color, the highly reflective, prooflike luster, and sharply struck devices the quality is so above average for the date. Only 7,500 gold dollars were struck.

PCGS 72, NGC 38, CAC 21. The most recent example sold in March 2018 for \$1,560 and the one just prior to that realized \$4,935 in March 2017. CAC-approved examples have always sold for strong premiums. This amazing GEM will delight any collector of this denomination!

PCGS# 7588 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





LOT 398
G\$1 1889 PCGS MS66+ CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

This tiny jewel is simply SUPERB. High end quality surfaces have a bold, beaming, satin luster that really glows from all over. The devices are sharply struck and there are no distracting marks or ticks of any kind. The eye appeal is exceptional in every way. A wonderful example of this final gold dollar issue.

PCGS 437, NGC 281, CAC 121. PCGS has graded 26 in MS66+ and the last one to sell in auction realized \$1,500 in February 2018. The current Collector's Universe value of \$2,550 is more in line with what we think this stunning coin should be worth--it is that high end!

PCGS# 7590 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+

#### **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on **HAMMER**. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

These published estimates represent what Legend Rare Coin Auctions determines to be an approximate high wholesale value for the coin. The numbers are based upon current market values, similar trades, auction prices, published prices, and a consideration of the coin's quality. There is no guarantee that the estimated prices are minimums or are exactly what you can expect to get if you attempt to resell them wholesale.

We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!



#### LOT 399 \$2.50 1836 BLOCK 8. PCGS MS63+ CAC

Exceptionally CHOICE and high end for the date and grade. This is very special Classic Head quarter eagle for the collector of this short lived "transitional" series or for the gold type collector.

A thick, frosty mint luster glows with a strong vibrance on both sides. The surfaces are richly toned with soft wheat-gold and delicate olive undertones that are totally ORIGINAL and FRESH. Well struck, this lovely coin has bold definition on both sides. The

eye appeal is excellent for a Classic Head with minimal lines noted with only a very strong glass.

PCGS 15, NGC 14, CAC 5. There are only two graded MS63+, neither of which have sold in auction. This coin is newly graded and fresh to the market. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$9,250. In our December 2017 Regency Auction the BubbaBells Collection had a PCGS MS63 CAC that sold for \$12,925 and a PCGS MS64 CAC sold in the 2016 ANA auction for \$15,275. Only a dozen coins are graded finer at PCGS, 7 in MS64, 1 in 64+, 3 in MS65, and one in MS66 (ex Bareford-Bass-Pogue). This coin is worthy of a very high end collection of Classic Head quarter eagles and will see very strong bidding for sure. Be prepared!

PCGS# 97694 | ESTIMATE: \$8,500+





LOT 400 \$2.50 1838 PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This Classic Head quarter eagle is a borderline Mint State coin. The fully struck devices show just the barest traces of circulation on the highest points. Rich gold color stands out with a rich underlying satin sheen. There are only a few minor ticks and traces of contact on both sides, consistent with the grade.

PCGS 19, NGC 50, CAC 7. Do not let the pops fool you, only SEVEN PCGS coins have sold in auction going back to 2004--none of these were approved by CAC. The only CAC approved NGC coin sold in the 2013 FUN auction for \$2,585. This coin is FRESH to the market, having been in this collection since 2009. Worthy of a strong bid from the collector of this short transitional series that bridges the early Old Tenor gold coins (1795-1834) and the Liberty Head series (1838-1908). Good luck!

PCGS# 7696 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





LOT 401 \$2.50 1858-C PCGS AU50

A lightly circulated example of this popular Charlotte Mint quarter eagle. Light friction is seen in the fields, which show a couple of scattered circulation marks on both sides. A frosty luster is still seen in the fields surrounding the well defined devices. The eye appeal quite decent, and this one will delight any collector of quarter eagles.

PCGS 18, NGC 6. Despite being called one of the more common dates, AU50s do not appear in auction with any real frequency. The last one to sell realized \$3,100 in a January 2018 internet only auction; prior to that one sold in June 2010, which was the first to sell since the 2005 FUN auction. The current PCGS value is listed listed at \$3,400.

PCGS# 7787 | ESTIMATE: \$2,700+





LOT 402 \$2.50 1862 PCGS AU53

This is a very scarce Civil War issue quarter eagle. Only 98,506 were struck, and PCGS CoinFacts estimates only 140 survive in all grades. Sharply struck central devices stand out against the satiny bright yellow gold lustrous surfaces. There are a few little traces of contact seen here and there, but the minor marks do not detract from the eye appeal.

PCGS 18, NGC 18. The most recent PCGS-graded coin sold in September 2014 for \$1,645. Prior to that there were two sold in 2012. These do not appear with any real frequency. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,800 and this date is very rare in Mint State.

PCGS# 7796 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





LOT 403 \$2.50 1867 PCGS AU58 FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

Truly an underrated and extremely RARE date quarter eagle. Only 3,200 were struck for circulation and PCGS CoinFacts estimates a total survival of 50 pieces in all grades. As Jeff Garrett and Ron Guth note in their Encyclopedia of U.S. Gold Coins, like most high grade examples, the surfaces show partially PL texture to the luster. Rich orange and rose overtones grace the surfaces enhanced by the boldness of the luster. A few ancient, scattered ticks are noted, none are singularly distracting and are typical for the grade.

PCGS 8, NGC 10. CAC has never beaned an AU58 from either service. No PCGS coin has sold in over 14 years in public auction! That is a testament to HOW RARE this date really is! The last NGC coin sold for \$3,840 in the 2018 ANA auction.

PCGS# 7805 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





LOT 404 \$2.50 1890 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a low mintage, very rare date Liberty \$2.50. Very flashy, fully prooflike luster beams from all over. The devices are very well struck with complete definition and the eye appeal is enhanced by the beautiful gold color that oozes from both sides. Only 8,720 were struck for circulation.

PCGS 29, NGC 14, CAC 6. With just seven graded higher, there is likely some duplication in the populations. The last PCGS MS64 CAC to sell in auction was back in June 2013, realizing \$3,819 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,500. Keep in mind that the last PCGS MS65 (not CAC) sold for \$15,275! A great coin for any set of late date Liberty Head quarter eagles.

PCGS# 7842 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+





LOT 405 \$2.50 1905 PCGS MS66+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

This is a wonderful GEM that is oh so close to a full MS67 grade. Showing a bold satiny mint luster that accents the particularly sharply struck devices. The surfaces are clean, smooth and free of any distracting marks or lines. The eye appeal is SUPERB as would be expected for the lofty grade and endorsement from CAC.

PCGS 362, NGC 559, CAC 87. The most recent to sell in auction was a duplicate from the D.L. Hansen Collection, which sold for \$1,800 in an April 2018 internet only auction. Prior to that, a non-CAC example sold for \$3,240 in March 2018. Worthy of a strong bid, certainly in excess of the current Collector's Universe value of \$1,600. Remember, a PCGS/CAC MS67 will cost between \$3,500 and \$4,000, so a superb MS66+ like this presents a great value. Good luck!

PCGS# 7857 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





# \$2.50 1882 PCGS PR66+DCAM CAC WOW, WOW, WOW! Did we say WOW? This coin is a near miss PR67 DCAM.

Remarkable ultra deep mirrors explode from all over. The mirrors are also crystal clear and are virtually perfect. We think we see one small line that keeps this coin from PR67 DC. Wouldn't it be nice if all coins were graded this strict? Anyway, when you twirl this coin, you see a freshly made sheet of glass with deep gold color. Miss Liberty and every detail are needle sharp in strike and have an ultra thick frosting. The eye appeal is insanely great!

Only 67 were minted. PCGS 0, NGC 0, CAC 2. PCGS has graded just 2 in PR66+ with NONE higher and not too many lower. There is NO Collectors Universe or any price guides for this coin. The rarity is unquestionable. Good luck!

PCGS# 97908 | ESTIMATE: \$75,000+





LOT 407 \$2.50 1908 PCGS MS66

As the first year of Bela Lyon Pratt's Indian Head design, there are a good number of high grade GEMS that were set aside at the time of mintage. This PQ GEM offers a vibrant mint bloom that accentuates the well struck incuse design elements. A great looking coin that has a rich golden patina and satin smooth fields.

PCGS 113, NGC 65. For the type only 282 MS66s have been graded by PCGS, so a good number of those are from this single issue. The last one to sell brought \$4,700 in September 2018 and the last one we sold was in December 2017 from the Bubba Bells Collection that realized \$5,170. The current Collector's Universe value is \$6,500.

PCGS# 7939 | ESTIMATE: \$4,600+





LOT 409 \$3 1861 PCGS XF45

Fewer than 6,000 \$3 gold pieces were struck during the year the Civil War began. Lightly worn on both sides, there is a bold satin luster on both sides accenting the sharply struck devices. There is a touch of friction on the highest points. Pleasing wheat gold color. The surfaces do show some traces of contact, but the eye appeal is decent overall.

PCGS 41, NGC 18. The last one sold for \$1,998 in March 2017 and prior to that, one sold in February 2013 for \$3,525 and before that one sold in February 2008 for \$2,530. More recently than those PCGS coins was an NGC coin that sold in March 2018 for \$2,640 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,600. Worthy of a neat collection of Civil War era gold.

PCGS# 7982 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+





LOT 408 \$3 1860 PCGS XF40

A pleasing collector grade example from this lower mintage of 7,036. Honey/wheat gold with pale olive highlights in the fields. Nicely preserved, there are very few tiny ticks that we note, consistent with the grade.

PCGS 12, NGC 8. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,500 and there has not been one sold since July 2010. A pleasing coin worthy of a neat collector grade set of \$3s. Good luck!

PCGS# 7980 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+





LOT 410 \$3 1870 PCGS AU58+ CAC EX BASS FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A fully Prooflike example from one of the most important cabinets of rare coins ever formed, Harry W. Bass, Jr. From an original mintage of only 3,500, this coin was clearly struck early on, and retains the full reflective texture to the fields. A wonderful two tone coloration, with rich orange-gold and accents of icy-blue that add to the eye appeal. Rotate the flashy surfaces in a light and the frosted, well struck devices stand out with nearly a cameo effect.

Ex Bowers & Merena's Bass, Part II sale, October 1999, lot 687; earlier Superior, February 1973, lot 304.

PCGS 49, NGC 89, CAC 19. There are just TWO graded AU58+, making this the ultimate example for the everyman collector. The other example sold back in March 2012 for \$3,738. More recently we sold a regular AU58 PCGS/CAC for \$3,408. RARE in Mint State, most examples are clustered in the MS61 and MS62 grades, and only one of those is CAC approved. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,900 and we think this one will see bidding in excess of that amount. Good luck!

PCGS# 7991 | ESTIMATE: \$3,500+





#### LOT 411 \$3 1878 PCGS PR65DCAM CAC

If you turn the lights off, this coin will glow in the dark! It has that powerful of a look. We do rank the coin as HIGH END.

Godzilla deep mirrors blast at you from all angles. You really need Ray Bans on to view this coin. The mirrors are also crystal clear and are extremely clean. Only with a strong glass can you see a few thin wispy lines. The contrast is mind boggling. Both sides are a brilliant gold color with "liquid black" mirrors (a term). There are NO spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and the details are so sharply struck they look they were just sculpted from a frosted block of gold. The eye appeal is mesmerizing!

ONLY 20 were minted. That is as rare as an 1894-S 10C and an 1804 \$1! PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 3. PCGS has graded only 1 higher (NO CAC). Even though the pop says 4 in PR65 DC, we know where 2 others are. We also know one was sent in for regrade. Not sure there are 4? Take our word on it, these do not grow on trees. The last one to sell was back in 2010 (a non CAC). The current Collectors Universe Value is \$82,500-which seems a bit low. We can't stress enough what a great put away coin this will make or as an addition to the finest collection! A rare opportunity knocks loud here!

PCGS# 98042 | ESTIMATE: \$90,000+

#### LOT 412 \$5 1800 PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a very high end BD-2. In the Bass-Dannreuther reference, they estimate a survival of 175-250 for this variety, noting that this is the first variety struck of the date. Sharply struck from an early die state, both sides show the flashy nature of a freshly prepared die, with essentially full PL reflection on the reverse and traces of the same in the protected devices of the obverse. The crisply struck up devices show





just the barest traces of friction that keep this coin from a Mint State grade. A strong glass reveals a few minor friction lines in the flashy fields of the reverse, as well as some mint made adjustment marks. None of these detract from the outstanding eye appeal!

PCGS 49, NGC 69, CAC 20. Many have been conserved, cleaned, or are otherwise not original. The most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell via auction was back in the 2016 ANA auction bringing \$13,513 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$14,500. Scarce in all grades, even more so in CHOICE AU and finer. A great type coin for any collector wanting an affordable and high end example!

PCGS# 8082 | ESTIMATE: \$12,000+





#### LOT 413 \$5 1813 PCGS AU50 CAC

BD-2. Starting in 1813, the \$5 gold piece had its design modified from John Reich's Capped Bust Left design to an elegant Capped Head left. The portraiture of Liberty was enlarged, and has been lovingly nicknamed, the "Fat Head Five." The series is quite scarce overall, with most dates ranging from moderately scarce (as with the 1813) to essentially uncollectible (many dates, including the famed 1815 and 1822).

#### The presently offered AU is

very choice for the AU50 grade with boldly defined details and wonderful orange-gold color. Traces of original mint luster blooms in the protected devices. The wear is limited to minor friction on the surfaces and there are no serious marks anywhere. The eye appeal is very high end, and this beautiful example is housed in a green tag PCGS encapsulation. Everything about this coin is more than worthy of its accolades from CAC.

PCGS 25, NGC 9, CAC 6. This was the most recent example to sell in auction, realizing \$9,400 in September 2017; prior to that, a PCGS/CAC example sold in the 2013 FUN auction for \$11,163. The current Collector's Universe value of \$7,250 seems way too low for a coin like this, and we anticipate this wonderfully original example selling for a very strong price. Bound for a really nice type collection of gold coins.

PCGS# 8116 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+

#### LOT 414 \$5 1840 PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.



In his magnum opus on U.S. gold coins, David Akers wrote: "The 1840 is rare and underrated in all grades...Most available specimens are in the VF to EF range, and strictly uncirculated examples are very rare. Even strictly graded AU coins are seldom available." We fully agree.

Flashy luster blooms in the fields of this Large Diameter 1840 \$5, surrounding the bluntly struck devices. Some minor chatter is noted in the fields, totally acceptable for this barely circulated example. Traces of rich orange-coppery color are scattered about on the reverse giving this choice AU 1840 half eagle a very cool look.

PCGS 17, NGC 48, CAC 9. David Aker's observations are confirmed by the Population figures, as both PCGS and NGC have graded precious few in Mint State. Our consignor purchased this coin from Legend in 2014, and the only PCGS/CAC coin to ever sell in auction realized \$2,760 in April 2012. Since then an NGC/CAC coin sold for \$2,291 in our July 2014 Regency Auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$2,500. A very cool early No Motto \$5 for the collector of gold type coins or the ambitious collector working on a complete set of Lib \$5s.

PCGS# 8194 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+

#### LOT 415 \$5 1852-D PCGS AU 58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very attractive 1852-D \$5! Offering a bold eye appeal, this date, while available in lower grades with some frequency, in AU58 and higher grades, this date is quite rare; in over 30 years of operations, PCGS has graded just 10 coins in Mint State, none finer than MS63.

The present AU58 is very high end for the grade. Showing just the lightest hint of friction on





the high points and in the fields, the surfaces are generally devoid of anything more than the slightest tiny traces of contact in the obverse fields. The strike is above average with decent definition to Liberty's hair curls and eagle's feathers, but the typical peripheral weakness is seen at the obverse rims. Nice, original honey-wheat gold color with olive accents adds to the lovely eye appeal.

PCGS 15, NGC 37, CAC 5. The most recent example with CAC approval realized \$6,600 in June 2018. Prior to that, a non-CAC coin sold for \$7,800 in a November 2017 auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$7,500 and with this coin's great look, it would come as no surprise to us if it realized close to that amount. A very important opportunity for the collector of southern branch mint gold looking for a PQ example of this date. Good luck!

PCGS# 8252 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+

#### LOT 416 \$5 1858-C PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very popular date in a very popular grade! While the 58-C is one of the more available dates from the Charlotte mint, it is very scarce in AU58 and downright RARE in Mint State.

Nicely toned with olive accents to the golden surfaces. Somewhat matte-like luster in the fields add to the strong visual allure. Under a strong glass we note some friction hairlines, and a few minor





lines here and there, the most serious near the back of Liberty's neck. The originality of the surfaces is key, as many examples have been dipped, stripped, and conserved into AU58 holders.

PCGS 20, NGC 35, CAC 4. Only one CAC-approved example ever sold in auction, over five years ago. Since then PCGS coins have sold for more, with the most recent one selling for \$5,640 in our January 2018 Regency Auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$6,250. This CAC-approved coin will delight any specialist of southern gold!

PCGS# 8277 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+



#### LOT 417 \$5 1860-D MEDIUM D. PCGS AU55

We do love Dahlonega mint gold coins, any date, any grade. With a mintage of 14,635, the 1860-D is scarce overall, but in AU grades is actually one of the more "obtainable" dates.

The present example has a rich luster, that has some reflective highlights that really are captured nicely when viewed in a light. The surfaces have the typical contact marks, which are noted by Doug WInter, although we would not use his term "choppy"

to describe the look of the obverse of this nice AU55. Bright gold color envelopes both sides with a lovely look and the devices are sharply struck throughout. This coin does really have a very nice look that will delight the collector.

PCGS 29, NGC 19. Don't let the population figures fool you, these do not appear with any real frequency. The most recent PCGS coin sold in March 2017 for \$5,405; prior to that, only four examples sold in the last dozen years. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$5,750. We think this coin is a nice representative for the date or as a type coin and will see spirited bidding. Good luck!

PCGS# 8286 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+

#### LOT 418 \$5 1868 NGC MS63

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to offer the SOLE FINEST certified 1868 half eagle! This amazing CHOICE example is a miraculous survivor of an original mintage of just 5,700. Today, fewer than 100 are estimated to survive, and gold coinage scholars David Akers, Ron Guth, and Jeff Garrett all concur that the typical survivor is apt to be in the VF or XF grades, AUs are VERY RARE. David Akers added, I have not seen an uncirculated specimen nor am I aware of one." Decades later, in 2006, it was noted in the Garrett/Guth Encyclopedia of U.S. Gold Coins, "Just one example in the date in Mint State has been offered for auction in the last two decades. The coin was sold uncertified in the 1994 sale of the James A. Stack Collection." We have plate matched this highly attractive coin to that important old time cabinet. With no prior pedigree noted in the October 1994 Stack's sale of the James A. Stack Collection, it is very possible that David Akers had never seen this coin while he was writing his analysis of auction records.

The surfaces show a moderate satin luster with some glassy reflective accents on the obverse. A thick, rich, orange-red patina is particularly bold on the reverse. The details are fully struck up and stand out against the fields. There are a few minor marks in the fields that serve to identify this important conditionally RARE issue as the James A. Stack coin. None of the "pedigree markers" are individually distracting, nor are they inappropriate for the assigned CHOICE grade. As the sole FINEST graded at either service, this coin is bound for the FINEST set of \$5 Libs.

PCGS 0, NGC 1. As the FINEST KNOWN, this coin has no peers. Here is a clue its value: in 1994, this CHOICE Mint State example was sold "raw" and realized \$10,450. Its classic look and provenance will vault it to a record price for the grade. Harry Bass had two examples in the Part IV auction, one in PCGS AU55 and one uncertified "AU53." Eliasberg and Norweb, each included Proof examples of the date. This is an opportunity of the utmost importance for the collector building the FINEST set of Liberty Head half eagles! Do NOT let it pass you by!

PCGS# 7317 | ESTIMATE: \$37,000+





#### LOT 419 \$5 1879-CC PCGS AU55

This is a really neat, collector quality, CHOICE AU example of this popular Carson City half eagle.

Satiny surfaces show just some minor friction lines on the surfaces. The devices show only the slightest traces of weakness on the highest points of the design, but for the most part, the elements are crisp. A strong glass does reveal a few minor reeding marks that come naturally from use in commerce. For the date and grade, the eye appeal is nicer than usually encountered.





Beginning in 1879, the mintages for Carson City gold coins began to increase, making this the first, in Doug Winter's words, "that is relatively easy to obtain, especially in lower grades...it is very scarce in higher circulated grades and extremely rare in full Mint State." Of the 17,281 initially struck, perhaps 200-250 exist in all grades, most in VF and XF. AU58s lie at the low end of the condition census, and their populations are likely inflated by regrades.

PCGS 27, NGC 21. The most recent example to sell in auction was five and a half years ago, selling for \$7,050 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$8,250. Keep in mind that in AU58, we sold the Oak Crest coin for \$16,450 in May 2018. These are RARE so fine and we anticipate strong bidding from the Carson City collector.

PCGS# 8349 | ESTIMATE: \$6,250+







A conditionally rare date. In 32 years of grading, PCGS has graded just TWO coins in MS65!Boldly glorious mint luster rolls with impressive cartwheels uninterrupted on both sides. The surfaces are the epitome of cleanliness and the rich golden color gives this near-GEM a stunning look!

PCGS 128, NGC 135, CAC 33. PCGS has graded 19 in MS64+ and only 2 finer. Selling in March 2011 for \$2,128, this coin is worthy of a very strong bid. Go ahead and ignore the current Collector's Universe price; this coin's quality speaks for itself.

PCGS# 8353 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+





LOT 421 \$5 1892 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Here is another hand selected, very high end quality coin from this collection. A warm satin luster glows invitingly on both sides. The eye appeal is very high end.

PCGS 75, NGC 79, CAC 24. Only two PCGS/CAC coins have ever sold in auction, both realizing \$1,528 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$1,500. Pretty scarce finer. Bound for a great type set of gold coins and worthy of a strong bid.

PCGS# 8379 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+





LOT 422 \$5 1892-CC PCGS MS61 CAC

A fully brilliant and lustrous Mint State of this late date Carson City half eagle. Sharply struck devices are surrounded by a strong golden luster on both sides. A strong glass reveals the few minor ticks that account for the assigned grade. The eye appeal is exceptional for the assigned grade.

PCGS 44, NGC 85, CAC 11. No PCGS/CAC coin has ever sold in auction. The last CAC-coin was NGC-graded, and realized \$2,511 in March 2015. This pleasing coin is worthy of a nice set of late date Liberty Head half eagles.

PCGS# 8380 | ESTIMATE: \$2,300+





LOT 423 \$5 1893-S PCGS MS64+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very original looking borderline-GEM quality 93-S \$5. Not surprisingly, this date is VERY RARE any finer, with just four coins awarded higher grades at PCGS. Rich coloration blends with an ember-like glowing luster in the fields. Nicely struck, the eye appeal is unmarred by any serious marks.

PCGS 42, NGC 31, CAC 9. PCGS has graded 10 in MS64+. The most recent sold for \$2,400 in November 2017 and prior to that one sold in April 2015. Keep in mind that the sole PCGS/CAC MS65 sold for \$12,925 in January 2017. This high end coin offers a great look and high end quality, that will not break the bank.



LOT 424 \$5 1901/0-S PCGS MS64 CAC

One of the few MAJOR varieties in the long running Liberty head series, traces of the underlying 0 is clearly seen under the final 1 in the date.

The initial appearance of this coin is that of an even higher grade, perhaps a 65 or 65+, we do not guarantee it, but we would not balk if this coin upgraded at least a point. This coin is a stunningly lustrous and high end example. Sharply struck, and generally very clean. Fresh to the market and housed in a first generation holder, this coin was purchased by our consignor in 1988.

PCGS 97, NGC 61, CAC 18. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,200 and NO PCGS/CAC coin has sold since 2011! Non-CAC PCGS auction prices are in the \$1,260 to \$1,763 range. The PCGS value jumps to \$4,950 in MS65. A great coin for any collector of 20th century gold, and one that will see very strong bidding for sure! Good luck!

PCGS# 8403 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+

PCGS# 8386 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+





LOT 425 \$10 1854 PCGS AU58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a moderately scarce date in all grades, with about 200-250 survivors thought to exist, but in near-Mint State AU58 and Mint State grades, this date is RARE! A satiny luster glows in the fields around the devices. Light friction lines and minor marks are noted for accuracy in the fields which are not singularly distracting to the eye appeal.

PCGS 18, NGC 63, CAC 3. This is the only PCGS/CAC coin to ever sell in auction, realizing \$2,350 in April 2016. Only one other CAC-approved coin to sell was NGC and sold for \$3,290 in August 2013. The current PCGS value is \$2,400. Only 15 coins are graded finer in Mint State, and keep in mind we just sold a PCGS MS61 CAC for \$8,519! Good luck!

PCGS# 8613 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

#### LOT 426 \$10 1858-S PCGS AU58

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to offer this impressive 1858-S ten, a major condition rarity, and this is tied for FINEST graded at both PCGS and NGC.

This coin began its life rare, as only 11,800 were struck.

Depending on your source, 60-80 to perhaps as much as 1% of the original mintage are believed to survive, and David Akers noted in his seminal work, "is a very rare and underrated coin in any grade, as rare in fact as the highly publicized 1858...Most known specimens grade no better than VF. If an uncirculated example exists, I have not seen or heard of it..." That was written in the 1970s and today, neither PCGS nor NGC have graded a single Mint State example. While the S.S. Republic wreck contained four 1858-S eagles, NONE were Mint State.

The present coin is vibrantly lustrous with a bold satiny glow in the fields. The faintest trace of friction and microscopic, scattered contact marks are all that keep this important rarity from a full Mint State grade. There are a few minor lines that attest to that friction. The devices are boldly impressed from a heavy blow from the dies.

PCGS 3, NGC 10. NO PCGS AU58 has ever sold in auction. The famed David Hall-Bob Simpson Collection contained an exceptional AU55. The amazing Harry Bass Collection had 2 in AU55, the Eliasberg coin was called a "Choice VF-30", Norweb's coin was a VF35 or finer, and the famed Dallas Bank Collection only had a VF. The Amon Carter Collection lacked an example. This is a truly important opportunity to acquire one of the FINEST examples that exists and will see very strong bidding from the advanced collector of this extremely challenging series. We would not be shocked to see a RECORD realization for this coin when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 8627 | ESTIMATE: \$45,000+







#### LOT 427 \$10 1861-S PCGS VF30 CAC

The 1861-S is a very rare date in all grades, with most of the estimated 80 survivors seen in the VF and XF range. Only 15,500 eagles were struck, and unlike coins from the Philadelphia mint that were hoarded as the Civil War was raging, the gold based California economy saw these coins remain in circulation. NO Mint State coins have ever been graded by PCGS, and examples of this date come up for sale very infrequently in the marketplace.

The present, moderately worn CHOICE VF has a great, original look. Olive and wheat gold surfaces are unmarred by any serious marks- remarkable for a coin with this much wear on it. For the grade, this coin possesses a great eye appeal.

PCGS 6, NGC 1, CAC 2. The only CAC-approved example to sell in auction realized \$6,600. Going back to 1997, our records show just four PCGS examples selling in auction in this grade, an average of 1 every 5 years---that is RARE!

PCGS# 8634 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+

#### LOT 428 \$10 1877-S PCGS AU55

Tied for second finest graded at PCGS, this is an impressive survivor of this lower mintage, rare date Liberty Head \$10.

From an original mintage of only 17,000, the majority of survivors, based on population data, is AU50 or lower. It becomes extremely rare and very underrated in AU53 and finer, with NO Mint State coins ever graded at PCGS.

Pleasing, original orange-gold surfaces show off a vivid satin frost. The devices are well struck and the naked eye appeal





is wonderful, it is only under intense scrutiny with a glass that a few minor scuffs and marks come to view. None of these marks are singularly distracting and perhaps account for why CAC did not bean this otherwise very nice, high grade example.

PCGS 5, NGC 35. Our records show exactly three PCGS AU55s having ever sold in auction: one in December 2015 that brought \$4,230; one in August 2007 that brought \$4,320, and one way back in February 1997. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$5,500. PCGS has graded just seven coins in AU58 finer, including the David Hall-Bob Simpson coin we sold in September 2015. The finest known is the NGC MS61 that sold in the Admiral Collection (February 2018) for \$31,200. This underrated RARITY is worthy of the utmost consideration from the specialist of \$10 Libs and will bring a strong bid.

PCGS# 8679 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+

#### LOT 429 \$10 1878-CC PCGS AU50

This is a very pleasing AU example of this VERY RARE CC mint eagle. The original mintage was 3,244, which is the second lowest of ALL gold coins minted at this fabled mint. PCGS CoinFacts estimates perhaps 75 coins survive in all grades. In his magnum opus on U.S. gold coins, David Akers noted the following: "The 1878-CC is the third rarest CC-Mint Eagle and is, in fact, one of the rarest dates in the entire \$10 series in terms of both overall rarity and condition rarity.... The 1878-CC is extremely rare in full EF. Above that grade, it is prohibitively rare and no specimen that I have seen or heard of even approaches full mint state."

The presently offered coin is a high grade survivor from that miniscule mintage. Light even wear is seen on the surfaces. Displaying just a few tiny marks and lines acquired from its time in wild west commerce. A rich, medium gold color with soft, wheat-gold accents. The eye appeal is quite nice and as an important rarity, its appearance in our sale is a golden opportunity for the advanced eagle collector.

For comparison purposes, the Eliasberg coin was graded VF20 and the Norweb coin was called XF45. The Battle Born coin was an NGC AU58. We sold the David Hall/ Bob Simpson coin, graded AU55 by PCGS in our September 2015 auction. That coin was ex ANR's Old West Collection sale.

PCGS 5, NGC 6. The most recent example to sell in auction realized \$54,120 in the February 2018 sale of the Admiral Collection. This example does not seem to be the AU50 that sold in Stack's January 2007 Americana Sale as part of the Morgan Collection of Branch Mint Gold. The current PCGS value is listed at \$36,500. Demand for such rarities is very high, and we know that collectors will be delighted to own this important piece of old west gold.

PCGS# 8681 | ESTIMATE: \$35,000+



### **\$10 1887** FROM

## \$10 1887 PCGS MS 63 EX SIMPSON-HALL FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.



From our Regency Auction XIII, where we sold selections of the David Hall-Bob Simpson Collection, the #1 all time set, where it was described as:

"Frosty and bright with outstanding surfaces for this condition rarity. Only 4 have been graded at the MS63 level by PCGS, with just two finer -- both MS64. A mintage of 53,600 pieces represents a considerable drop from prior and later years out of the Philadelphia

Mint. Survivors are mostly found in lower circulated grades, and most of the Mint State pieces fall well short of this sparkling choice coin. Creamy, thick luster abounds and the surfaces are sweet."

PCGS 6, NGC 2. This was the most recent example to sell, realizing \$3,173 in that September 2015 Regency Auction. Prior to that, one sold in June 2015 for \$4,465 and one sold in April 2008 for \$5,290. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$5,250. Only 8 coins are graded higher at PCGS, NONE of which have EVER sold in auction! This is a very important opportunity for any collector of high grade \$10 Libs that should not be taken for granted!

PCGS# 8710 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+

#### LOT 431 \$10 1889 PCGS MS62 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very underrated and important \$10 Lib that rarely ever comes up for auction. This CHOICE example is tied for FINEST graded and as the ONLY CAC-approved MS62, is quite possibly the FINEST of only 4,440 struck.

Highly lustrous surfaces have two different textures. The obverse is flashy, with a somewhat PL looking luster, while the reverse





has a frostier, satin glow. Both sides are exceptionally bold in strike and there are just a few scattered ticks and scuffs that account for the assigned grade. The eye appeal is very nice and ORIGINAL.

PCGS 10, NGC 8, CAC 1. Our consignor bought this important, underrated rarity in a 2004 ANR auction. More recently a non-CAC PCGS coin sold for \$6,300 in the 2018 ANA auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$7,950. It is important to note that the David Hall- Bob Simpson coin was NOT CAC. This coin is indeed worthy of the FINEST \$10 Lib set!

PCGS# 8715 | ESTIMATE: \$6,000+





#### LOT 432 \$10 1891-CC PCGS MS61

Highly lustrous! Wow, the surfaces have bold, cartwheel luster. Flashy throughout the fields on both sides, this lovely BU coin has a nice look, only under a strong glass can you see the contact marks that account for the assigned grade.

PCGS 485, NGC 577. In 2018, 10 examples sold in auction, all ranging in the \$2,040 to \$2,400 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$2,750. One of the more common CC tens, it is a great choice in a "mint mark" set of \$10 Libs.

PCGS# 8720 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+

#### LOT 433 \$10 1893-CC PCGS MS62 CAC

LRCA is proud to offer this important Carson City Eagle. Tied for FINEST graded at either service, it is a remarkable, CHOICE Mint State piece that has a spectacular look.

Of the original 14,000 minted in this final year of operations at the Carson City mint, PCGS CoinFacts estimates that 325 examples survive in all grades, while noted Carson City expert Rusty Goe estimated 365-425 in his cataloging notes in the 2012 catalog of the Battle Born Collection. Regardless, today PCGS has graded exactly 13 examples in any Mint State grade, with the present MS62 ranking at the top of the Population Report with six other submissions. David Akers wrote in his United Sates Gold Coins: An Analysis of Auction Records, "In my opinion, the 1893-CC is the most underrated Carson City Mint Eagle. It is rare in any condition, comparable overall to the 1881-CC and even more difficult to obtain in Uncirculated condition...Most known specimens grade VF or EF."

We love the eye appeal of this impressive CHOICE Mint State eagle. Wonderfully satin-like luster blooms all throughout the totally ORIGINAL "dirty" orange-apricot and olive tinged surfaces. Bands of brilliant cartwheel luster roll all along the fields and devices. The design elements are all crisp and sharp in strike. While we note a few minor ticks and marks that account for the assigned grade, none are singularly distracting. The eye appeal is truly spectacular; we cannot imagine a nicer or more original looking Mint State example existing, as many rare date gold coins have been dipped, scrubbed, cleaned or otherwise conserved to try and get a higher numeric grade; this stunning coin is NOT one of those!

PCGS 7, NGC 2, CAC 4. NONE ARE GRADED FINER at either service! The only example to sell in auction was the non-CAC Battle Born Collection coin, which realized \$32,900 in the 2012 ANA auction. Prior to that, it brought \$37,950 in October 2005. The current Collector's Universe value is \$38,500 and as the ONLY CAC-approved example to appear in auction, we suspect that level will be exceeded. With rare date Liberty Head eagles finally beginning to get some respect in the market, we know this tied for FINEST will attract very strong bidding. Good luck!

PCGS# 8726 | ESTIMATE: \$32,000+







#### LOT 434 \$10 1899-O PCGS MS63 CAC

A low mintage date that is the scarcest New Orleans mint \$10 from the 1890s, only 37,047 were struck.

A bold, satiny luster has accents of reddish-rose patina that provide depth and charm to the medium gold surfaces. A superior quality, fully CHOICE Mint State coin that really is a delight to behold, with a superior eye appeal and totally original surfaces. Conditionally RARE in MS63 and excessively so any finer.

PCGS 16, NGC 7, CAC 8. There were two examples sold in 2018: the AJ Vanderbilt coin brought \$9,600 in March and the Fairmont coin sold in the ANA auction for \$9,000. Keep in mind the David Hall/ Bob Simpson coin, a PCGS MS64 sold for \$29,375 in September 2015.

This coin will see very spirited bidding from the advanced collector of Liberty Head eagles. A marvelous opportunity to acquire a very important survivor from this date.

PCGS# 8743 | ESTIMATE: \$8,500+

#### LOT 435 \$10 1905 PCGS MS64+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

This amazing super high end coin has tremendous features, The surfaces are an original orange gold and are satiny smooth. Bordering on the GEM classification, the luster is highly satiny and is sharply struck, the devices have razor sharp definition and satin smooth surfaces. The eye appeal is VERY high end and is a delight to behold!





PCGS 105, NGC 162, CAC 13. This is one of just two coins in

MS64+, and is VERY RARE any finer! This coin realized \$1,998 in June 2016, and is the only one of the two 64+s to ever sell via auction. Keep in mind that the last PCGS/CAC MS65 sold in auction a decade ago, selling for \$6,613. Clearly this coin should bring a price around the current PCGS Price Guide value of \$3,150 (or more) today. Bound for an advanced set of eagles. We anticipate strong bidding when this stunner crosses the block!

PCGS# 8757 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+

#### **OUR ESTIMATES**

The estimates you see published in this catalog are based on HAMMER. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so Collector's can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

These published estimates represent what Legend Rare Coin Auctions determines to be an approximate high wholesale value for the coin. The numbers are based upon current market values, similar trades, auction prices, published prices, and a consideration of the coin's quality. There is no guarantee that the estimated prices are minimums or are exactly what you can expect to get if you attempt to resell them wholesale.

We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

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#### LOT 436 \$10 1907 NO MOTTO. PCGS MS66+ CAC

Our sister company Legend Numismatics has handled many of these. Plus they have built the #1 all time finest \$10 Indian collection, so they know what these should look like and how they come. This coin impressed them. We really do not remember seeing cleaner surfaces than what this coin offers. We looked hard using a strong glass and saw nothing more than a tiny old tick or two.

Outstanding surfaces rank among the cleanest we have ever seen. Using a strong glass we found only one small old tick and a frost break/stacking mark on top of the cheek. Without those, it easily makes MS67. No question this coin is original and never has been messed with. A bold thick satin-like luster glow from all over. Both sides are a beautiful moderate original gold color. There are NO spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and do stand out. The eye appeal is terrific!

PCGS 114, NGC 160, CAC 63. PCGS has graded 37 in MS66+ with 11 higher. The last PCGS CAC MS66+ to sell in auction realized \$18,800 in July 2017. We could easily see that happening again! If you seek an outstanding No Motto for a Type or \$10 set, look no further, a great one is right here in front of you! Opportunity, really does knock extra loud here. Get ready to rumble. The texture is a thick and satiny.

PCGS# 8852 | ESTIMATE: \$16,000+







LOT 437 \$10 1911 PCGS MS64 CAC

This is a very high end, essentially GEM quality 1911 \$10. Bold, swirling cartwheel luster blooms over lovely satiny surfaces. Both sides have sharply struck devices and smooth, problem free surfaces which all combine for a great eye appeal.

PCGS 929, NGC 850, CAC 142. The last one to sell in auction realized \$1,680 in October 2018 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$1,750. We expect this one to sell for a very strong bid. Bound for a nice collection of \$10 Indians.

PCGS# 8868 | ESTIMATE: \$1,400+





LOT 439 \$20 1850 PCGS AU58

Before the establishment of 3rd party grading, with its nuanced numeric grades, we believe this coin would have been described as Brilliant Uncirculated. Indeed, it takes a strong glass to see the minor high point friction. The bright golden, semi-reflective, fully lustrous surfaces show a number of contact marks, and perhaps PCGS "net" graded this one. Even with the marks, we would not say it is hacked up or choppy. Every detail is razor sharp in definition and stand out against the lustrous, brilliant golden surfaces. The eye appeal is decent despite the contact marks.

After gold was discovered in California in 1848, Congress passed an act in 1849 authorizing two new gold denominations, the gold dollar and the \$20 or double eagle; while gold dollars were struck in quantity that year, only 2 double eagles were reported struck, and only a single one survives, a centerpiece of the National Numismatic Collection at the Smithsonian. 1850 represents the first year of regular issue of the denomination, with 1,170,261 struck. Despite the generous mintage, it is very scarce in AU58 and RARE in Mint State.

PCGS 60, NGC 153. the last one to sell realized \$9,400 in March 2017. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$11,500 and keep in mind that Mint State coins are rare.

PCGS# 8902 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+





LOT 438 \$10 1914 PCGS MS63 CAC

Not an easy date/grade to find with CAC approval, and this old holdered coin is fully CHOICE and original with a rich, two-tone orange/gold coloration and sharply struck design. Sharply struck and high end quality for the grade.

PCGS 490, NGC 236, CAC 22. Only two PCGS/CAC coins have sold in auction, the most recent selling for \$2,040 in September 2018 and one sold in the 2010 ANA auction for \$2,070. Worthy of a bid in that range, or more.

PCGS# 8875 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+





LOT 440 \$20 1860 PCGS AU 58 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

A very high end example of this Type I double eagle in AU58. Totally original and offering a nearly full luster on minimally abraded surfaces and fully struck devices. The eye appeal is excellent in every way.

PCGS 88, NGC 236, CAC 33. The most recent example sold in the 2016 ANA auction for \$4,465. This coin realized \$4,888 in the 2011 ANA auction's offering of the "Rajj" Collection. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$4,500. A great looking coin for any double eagle collector, this date is quite scarce in Mint State.

PCGS# 8929 | ESTIMATE: \$3,800+

#### LOT 441 \$20 1868-S PCGS MS62+

LRCA is proud to offer this marvelous fully CHOICE Mint State 1868-S double eagle. Tied for FINEST graded at PCGS, there is just a single MS64 graded finer at NGC that has never sold in auction. David Akers noted that overall, the rarity of the 68-S is similar to other S-mint dates of the era, and usually only available in XF grades, RARE in AU, although since Akers' volumes were written, there were still untapped sources in Europe and elsewhere. Regardless this date is of the utmost rarity in Mint State, PCGS CoinFacts estimates perhaps 20 Mint State survivors are extant.

A full, vibrant, strong, golden luster blooms dramatically on both sides. Well struck devices are frosty and bold, contrasting against the stunning satin lustrous look. Some minor contact marks are noted on both sides using a strong glass, but none are distracting, or have a serious impact on the SUPERB eye appeal.

PCGS 2, NGC 1. Two non-"+" MS62s sold for \$43,200 earlier this in 2018, including the one that was in the A.J. Vanderbilt Collection. This coin is worthy of inclusion in the FINEST \$20 Lib set, and will likely see bidding surpass the \$50,000 Collector's Universe value.

PCGS# 9041 | ESTIMATE: \$45,000+







#### LOT 442 \$20 1869-S PCGS AU55 CAC

This is a very eye appealing and ORIGINAL example. For the grade, this Type II double eagle is totally original and offers a great look. Rich orange-gold color comes to life with a pleasing satiny sheen. Well executed in terms of strike, the details are nicely rendered. The surfaces show just a touch of friction and there are only a few tiny ticks noted under a strong glass, typical for the grade.

PCGS 175, NGC 367, CAC 36. Do not let the populations fool you, these do not come up for auction too often. Prior to the one we sold in November 2018 for \$2,115, the most recent PCGS/CAC example to sell in auction realized \$2,468 in June 2017. The current PCGS value is listed at \$3,000. A collection of Philadelphia and San Francisco mint Type II double eagles in CHOICE AU grades would make a very neat short set to work on.

PCGS# 8726 | ESTIMATE: \$2,100+

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#### LOT 443 \$20 1875-CC PCGS MS62+ CAC

An exceptional example! If you are seeking a single Carson City double eagle to represent the mint this is it! Among the more "common" dates, and even David Akers noted "substantial number of uncs exist..." the vast majority of them are only MS61 and 62 the date is truly RARE in MS62+ and finer!

Bold, swirling, cartwheel luster blooms all over with a substantial brilliance on both sides. A thick mint frost on the sharply struck devices stands out from the rich, satiny lustrous fields. There are a few minor ticks and marks that account for the grade but the overall eye appeal is that of an even higher grade.

PCGS 202, NGC 198, CAC 24. There are only 8 coins graded MS62+ at PCGS, 4 at NGC. The most recent 62+ was an NGC coin that brought \$15,600 in September 2018. All bets are off for this SUPERB PCGS MS62+ CAC coin, the current Collector's Universe value of \$22,500 will be exceeded when it crosses the block. Keep in mind that NO PCGS MS63 CAC has ever sold via auction, although an NGC MS63 CAC sold in April 2014 for \$38,188. This impressive coin is worthy of a high end collection of U.S. gold coins.

PCGS# 8974 | ESTIMATE: \$22,000+





#### LOT 444 \$20 1884-S PCGS MS62+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.





A wonderfully satiny example in fully CHOICE quality. The frosty devices are sharply impressed and surfaces are highly original and very high end for the grade.

PCGS 1253, NGC 766, CAC 50. PCGS has graded 36 in MS62+. Scarce finer, and RARE in GEM. The last one to sell in January 2018 for \$2,100 and prior to that, one sold in February 2017 for \$2,233. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$2,500.

The perennial gold bugs that we are, whether you are building a \$20 Lib set or not, it is always great to have some nice, Original gold coins in any holding.

PCGS# 9002 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

#### LOT 445 \$20 1892-S PCGS MS64+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

What a beautiful 92-S double eagle! If it was a more common date, we would not be shocked if it graded a 65 (no guarantees) This coin is satin smooth and ultra clean! Well struck and offering a great frosty luster, this coin has just a few little marks that keeps it from grading MS65. The eye appeal is really high end.





#### PCGS 157, NGC 74, CAC

31. Our consignor bought this

beautiful, borderline GEM in 2011 prior to the discovery of the 178 examples that were contained in the Saddle Ridge Hoard. Back then, he paid \$12,000. The most recent PCGS MS64+ CAC sold for a weak \$7,050 in the 2016 ANA auction. Prior to that, PCGS/CAC example from the Saddle Ridge Hoard, sold in October 2014 for \$14,100 and a non-Saddle Ridge Hoard example sold in that same sale for \$9,988. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$8,250 and this date remains RARE in GEM grades. A great type coin or just a beautiful, original example for a well selected set of Type III Twenties.







LOT 446 \$20 1894-S PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

This is a great coin! Indeed, the second we saw this coin we loved it. It could have gotten a "+", guess PCGS really held the line here. Still, it is VERY HIGH END! Excellent surfaces offer a bare minimum of ticks or marks. The texture is thick and satiny. The luster is also "thick" and satiny. There is no denying this coin has totally original skin. Both sides are a GEM original deeper yellow gold color. There are NO spots or discolorations anywhere. Miss Liberty and every detail are fully struck and frosty. The eye appeal is great!

PCGS 232, NGC 89, CAC 17. The last 1894-S to sell in auction brought \$4,230 in September 2017.†Prior to that, the last CAC coin sold in August 2012 brought \$5,288 (and that was NGC-graded!) PCGS/CAC gold is really not around right now. RARE any finer, only 21 coins have received higher grades, and we believe the populations might be somewhat inflated with duplicate submissions.

PCGS# 9026 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+

#### LOT 447 \$20 1902 PCGS MS64+ CAC

Unlike most 1900-1907 double eagles, the 1902 is a VERY RARE issue with an original mintage of only 31,140 pieces. Extremely RARE any finer than MS63+, this GEM is among the absolute FINEST KNOWN!

Ultra high end surfaces truly are magnificent! In fact, if this coin was one of the common 1900 or 1904 Philly mint twenties, it would not shock us if this coin was graded higher. Full, radiant mint luster blooms all over with a bold, satiny brilliance. The devices are handsomely impressed from a forceful, exacting blow from the dies. A scattering of the most microscopic ticks are noted for the sake of full accuracy, but they do not have any negative effect on the eye appeal and none stand out on their own. The medium hue of gold has some lighter golden accents that are fantastic. The devices are frosty and smooth. Magnificent and ultra high end quality screams loudly--not only is the eye appeal SUPERB for the grade, but the technical qualities are AMAZING!

PCGS 10, NGC 3, CAC 3. There are three examples in MS64+ and just a single MS66 finer. We believe that there is duplication even with the tiny pops, at the 64/64+ levels. None of the 3 MS64+s have ever sold in auction. The most recent MS64 PCGS/CAC sold in the 2018 Central States auction for \$54,000, a record for the date. We do not doubt this impressive GEM will surpass that amount. The MS66 is in the D.L. Hansen Collection, and will likely not come up for sale anytime soon. If you are working on a collection of the FINEST double eagles, this is certainly among them and will see a very strong price when it crosses the block! We could see a record price here!

PCGS# 9041 | ESTIMATE: \$40,000+







LOT 448 \$20 1903 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

WOW! This coin is stunning. Bold, semi-PL reflective, vivacious cartwheel luster blooms all over the rich orange-gold surfaces. Sharply struck and offering clean, essentially GEM quality surfaces, this coin is VERY high end for the assigned grade.

PCGS 3258, NGC 3155, CAC 350. The most recent PCGS/CAC example was the AWA / D.L. Hansen coin that sold for \$1,850 in an online only auction and it did not have the great look of this near-GEM. Worthy of a very strong bid, keep in mind that MS65s are very scarce indeed!

PCGS# 9043 | ESTIMATE: \$1,600+



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Very high end for the grade! The superior quality surfaces have just the most minute lines, really only visible with a glass. A strong, frosty mint luster beams from all over, offering a thick satiny texture. Both sides are essentially of full GEM quality with a rich, original orange gold color. There are no spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and are sharply struck. The eye appeal is great!





LOT 449 \$20 1904 PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

An ultra HIGH END MS64 that we would not hesitate to call a GEM in terms of eye appeal. Sharply struck and satiny smooth, a bold, glowing, original orange-gold color is brought to life by the ember-like underlying luster. Housed in an old green tag PCGS holder.

PCGS and NGC combined have graded more than 72,000 examples in MS64, but CAC has only stickered 3,016 of these. This is a very high end coin and should bring a strong bid from any gold bug. The last one to sell brought \$1,800 in October 2018. If all generics looked like this, there would be no softness in the market for them right now!

PCGS# 9045 | ESTIMATE: \$1,650+





Struck at the Denver Mint in its first year of operations, and one of only two years in which Denver issued Liberty Head Twenties.

PCGS 284, NGC 133, CAC 37. The population Includes 56 coins graded MS64+ by PCGS. VERY RARE any finer, only 32 MS65's and 3 MS66's have been graded, combined between PCGS and NGC. Listed in the PCGS Price Guide at \$5,500. The last CAC-approved MS64+ realized \$4,583 in our September 2018 Regency Auction. PCGS MS65 CAC coins sell for about \$15,000, leaving a significant spread for this 64+ to fill. Great date and a two-year type coin.

PCGS# 9050 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

#### LOT 451 \$20 1907-D LIBERTY. PCGS MS64 CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

A marvelous coin that borders on the GEM classification! Indeed, we have seen higher grade coins that do not have the great eye appeal of this hand selected example. A bold, brilliant satiny golden luster swirls all over on this impressive piece. Sharply struck devices stand out in bold relief to the stunning original surrounding surfaces. Housed in an old green tag holder.



PCGS 537, NGC 335, CAC 64. The most recent example to sell realized \$3,600 in October 2018 and the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$4,000. This high end example should bring around that price. Scarce finer, this beauty will delight any gold bug.

PCGS# 9053 | ESTIMATE: \$3,200+



#### LOT 452 \$20 1908 NO MOTTO. PCGS MS66+ CAC

Ex Wells Fargo Hoard.

This is a high end coin, bordering on full SUPERB quality and coming from the famed Wells Fargo Hoard. Well struck and boldly lustrous, this impressive coin has a fantastic look worthy of a very high end holding of gold coins.

The Wells Fargo Hoard was a holding of nearly 10,000 1908 No Motto \$20s that was discovered in a Las Vegas Wells Fargo office.

Veteran coin dealer Ron Gillio handled the transaction of most GEM and SUPERB GEM coins. Most of the MS67, 68 and all the 69 graded examples of this date originated from this original source.

PCGS 4602, NGC 1645, CAC 105. There are 44 graded MS66+. The most recent PCGS/CAC example realized \$4,800 in November 2018 and prior to that, one sold for \$4,275 in September 2017. This high end GEM will delight any collector of gold coins and it will see strong bidding from collectors looking to add a "story" coin to their holdings.

PCGS# 99142 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+

#### LOT 453 \$20 1908 MOTTO. PCGS MS64 CAC

A scarce date with just over 156,000 struck, and RARE any finer. Silken gold surfaces with a frosty luster glow with a rich vibrance. Sharply struck devices stand out against the smooth, almost GEM quality surfaces. The eye appeal is SUPERB for the assigned grade.

PCGS 774, NGC 329, CAC 54. The last PCGS/CAC coin to sell realized \$4,348 back in July 2015, and one sold in February 2015 for \$5,170. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$4,250 and keep in mind that a 65 will cost five figures. Good luck!





PCGS# 9147 | ESTIMATE: \$4,000+





Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to have been consigned what is most likely the FINEST 1909-D in existence! Having built the #1 (Simpson) and #2 all time finest sets, we have seen as many or more Saints than anyone. We cannot imagine a finer 1909-D nor have we even seen anything remotely close. For sure it has been safely stored since it left the Mint.

Even common dates cannot be found this mega monster clean. We used a strong glass and looked really hard and found only one microscopic tick. That is unheard of for any GEM Saint. The surfaces have a remarkably satiny smooth texture. Of course there is a full booming all over luster. Mother Nature teamed up with the US mint to create a colorful masterpiece here. Both sides are totally original gold/orange gold/yellow gold color. There is not a single speck, spot, or discoloration. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and are frosty. The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 2, NGC 1, CAC 1. We have never seen the other piece. Simpson only has a MS66+. The last record of any MS67 1909-D selling in auction was for a non CAC which brought \$218,500 in 2008. The current Collectors Universe Value is \$425,000. If you buy better Saints or are building a world class set, there is no way you won't make this a "must buy" after you see it. We do claim this coin to be a once in a generation piece. Good luck bidding as we expect many players to come out.

PCGS# 9152 | ESTIMATE: \$275,000+



LOT 455 \$20 1910 PCGS MS64 CAC

Impressive quality and eye appeal. Frosty mint luster blooms on both the obverse and reverse, accenting the warm, glowing orange-gold surfaces and sharply struck devices, imparting a wonderful eye appeal!

PCGS 1754, NGC 948, CAC 138. The last one to sell in auction realized \$2,300 in a November 2018 Internet only auction. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,900 and keep in mind this date is quite scarce any finer, this nearly GEM quality double eagle is worthy of any collection of Saints.

PCGS# 9154 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+



LOT 456 \$20 1911 PCGS MS64+ CAC FROM THE SAND HILL COLLECTION.

What a great coin that truly borders on the GEM category! This coin has a fantastic look!

Radiant golden luster blooms in the fields, giving life to the lovely surfaces. The two-tone yellow gold deepens to a honey hue in areas, giving this well struck example a great look. A lower mintage date, only 197,200 were struck and these are quite RARE in GEM grades.

PCGS 567, NGC 402, CAC 64. PCGS has graded 35 in 64+. This coin has long been off the market, our consignor bought it back in 2005. The last PCGS/CAC MS64+ to sell in auction realized \$5,288 in October 2014. More recently an NGC MS64+ CAC sold in February 2017 for \$5,405 and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$5,350. Keep in mind that the last PCGS/CAC MS65 sold for \$26,400! This is a great coin for any collector looking for a very high end for the grade coin!

PCGS# 9157 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

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#### LOT 457

#### \$20 1911-D/D RPM, FS-501. PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is quite the impressive borderline SUPERB GEM 1911-D repunched mintmark double eagle. One of the few distinct die varieties in the Saint Gaudens series, collectors have long searched unattributed 1911-Ds for one.

The present coin has great look for the date. Well struck devices stand out against frosty lustrous fields that have an almost sandblast-like texture. Rich orange-gold with lighter brilliant gold highlights. The first D was placed too far to the right, and then repunched properly. The D/D is quite bold and can be seen without the aid of a glass. As expected for the lofty, borderline SUPERB GEM grade, any traces of contact are extremely minor and almost not worth mentioning.

PCGS 49, NGC 39, CAC 23. There are just four PCGS coins graded MS66+, with just a single MS67 graded finer, impounded in the Simpson Collection. No MS66+ has ever sold in auction. PCGS lists a price of \$30,000. Ron Guth notes on PCGS CoinFacts, that "this variety is worth approximately 150-200% of a regular type coin." Thus the value makes sense, as the last PCGS/CAC MS66+ 1911-D sold in the 2018 ANA auction for \$14,400. Worthy of the finest set of Saint Gaudens double eagles, this coin is a real prize for the specialist! Do not let this opportunity pass you by!

PCGS# 145010 | ESTIMATE: \$25,000+







LOT 458 \$20 1914-D PCGS MS64+ CAC

A well struck and lustrous GEM with tons of flash and rich, yellow-gold coloration. The eye appeal is very high end and really has a great look. Better than generic.

PCGS 3221, NGC 2064, CAC 155. There are 155 graded MS64+ at PCGS, 23 at NGC. The last two PCGS/CAC coins to sell in auction were years ago, one in June 2014 for \$2,203 and one in September 2013 for \$2,174. Bound for a nice gold holding and worthy of a strong bid.

PCGS# 6493 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+





LOT 459 \$20 1915-S PCGS MS65 FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Glorious mint luster radiates through a rich orange-gold with reddish accents seen in places. The devices are well struck and the surfaces are smooth and free of any serious marks or ticks. The eye appeal is superb for a GEM of this grade.

PCGS 2278, NGC 1684. Recent examples sold between \$1,800 and \$2,160 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,000. A great looking coin for any gold holding. Premiums are low, and this coin will fit nicely in any holding of gold coins.

PCGS# 168 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

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#### LOT 460 \$20 1922-S PCGS MS66+ CAC Ex. BELLA/A&A

Legend Numismatics (our sister company) sold this piece to the Bella Collector and has always been madly in love with this coin. It is Legend's strong opinion that this coin is grossly UNDER Valued. The quality is absolutely MS66+ without a doubt. At first glance, you could easily confuse this coin with a 1924!

The surfaces are virtually perfect. Only using a strong glass can you see a tiny frost break on the obverse. There is a small tick on the reverse. The texture is thick and satiny smooth. A strong luster glows unbroken from all over. Both sides are a deep and totally original gold color. Other than one ultra tiny drop of Mint grease, there are NO spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and are fully struck. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 2, NGC 2, CAC 2. PCGS shows 2 graded in MS66+but we think this might be both. Simpson and Hedgie only have MS66's (Hedgie is the other CAC MS66) There are NONE graded higher. Think of how often you see even an MS65 CAC (Pop 4); you do not, nor do we. So with multiples lower in the pop you know any MS66 is rare, and a 66+? The last regular MS66 to sell in auction was back in 2005-a lifetime ago. This coin has no record of being sold via auction. There is a \$200,000 Collectors Universe Value for it. We have always called all 22-S in full GEM UNDER valued. What an addition to any Saint set this will make! Good luck!

PCGS# 9174 | ESTIMATE:\$180,000+







LOT 461 \$20 1927 PCGS MS65+ CAC FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Like the other coins in this collection, you can tell the collector was picky when it came to quality! Brilliant, rich, almost semi-reflective luster blazes on the obverse, accenting the sharply struck devices. A few microscopic ticks are all that keeps this GEM from an even higher grade.

Between PCGS and NGC over 50,000 have been graded MS65/MS65+, but only 1,596 have been approved by CAC. The last PCGS MS65+ CAC sold in auction for \$2,280. Keep in mind that a PCGS MS66 CAC is a \$3,500+ coin today. This impressive coin has a great look and will delight any gold bug!

PCGS# 9186 | ESTIMATE: \$1,800+

#### LEGEND'S AUCTION SCHEDULE

Official Auction for the PCGS Members Only Show

3/21/19 | Regency Auction 31 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: February 4th

5/16/19 | Regency Auction 32 New Orleans, LA - Harrah's Consignment Deadline: April 1st

6/27/19 | Regency Auction 33 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: May 20th

9/26/19 | Regency Auction 34 Las Vegas, NV - The Bellagio Consignment Deadline: August 19th

12/12/19 | Regency Auction 35 Las Vegas, NV - The Cosmopolitan Consignment Deadline: October 28th

Contact us with any questions you may have or to discuss consigning to an upcoming regency auction.

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# LOT 462 \$20 1910 NGC PR66+ CAC

When we first saw this coin our jaws dropped and locked. We still can't close them! This coin is not only SUPER HIGH END but is out of this world! WOW!

Insane-yes insane Roman finish surfaces blaze from all over. These are not semi Roman finish, these are knife sharp and stand out almost 3-D like Roman finish surfaces. In fact, this coin looks like a Modern made medal more than a 1910 Proof! The luster and flash are virtually blinding. There is not a single flaw visible even using the strongest glass. Both sides are an electric yellow gold color. There are NO spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and every detail are so fully struck you do not need a glass to see fine details like her toes. We must say again, the eye appeal is intensely jaw dropping!

Only 167 were minted. PCGS 4, NGC 13, CAC 4. The current Collectors Universe Value is \$175,000. We agree with that number since NO NGC's have sold since 2012 and NO PCGS pieces have sold since 2006! That is exceedingly rare! We very much consider a grand piece like this a once in a life time buy (okay, safe to say generation).

Warning! If you see this coin before the auction, you will have to have it! Be prepared and good luck!

PCGS# 9174 | ESTIMATE: \$165,000+







LOT 463 50C 1936-S ARKANSAS. PCGS MS67 CAC

A satiny, frosty, lustrous SUPERB GEM that is VERY RARE at this grade level and excessively so any finer. Traces of orange and olive hues cling to the rim surrounding the pearly-silver surfaces in the centers. Sharply struck and extremely clean, this SUPERB GEM has a great look.

PCGS 18, NGC 12, CAC 7. The most recent example sold in the 2016 FUN auction, realizing \$1,880 and prior to that there are records up to \$4,406. Only two MS67+ are graded finer at PCGS, the only one to sell realized \$9,465 in November 2012. This impressive coin is worthy of a world class set of classic commems and we predict it will sell for a strong bid.

PCGS# 9239 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+





LOT 464 50C 1936 COLUMBIA. PCGS MS67+ CAC

What a lovely, original, SUPERB GEM that boasts extremely brilliant, pearly satin mint luster under a touch of iridescent gold and rose tones. The eye appeal and technical qualities are AMAZING!

PCGS 114, NGC 85, CAC 67. There are 15 graded MS67+ and just a single MS68 graded as the FINEST at PCGS. The last MS67+ CAC sold two years ago, realizing \$1,116 in the 2017 FUN auction. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,650 and keep in mind the ONLY MS68 sold for a record \$15,275 in August 2013. This SUPERB GEM is worthy of placement in top notch Commemorative collection.

PCGS# 9291 | ESTIMATE: \$1,000+

### LOT 465 50C 1892 COLUMBIAN. PCGS MS67+ CAC

The Columbian Expo half dollar is the first of 144 coins that make up the classic commemorative series struck from 1892-1954. The presently offered Columbian Expo half dollar is among the FINEST graded examples at PCGS and a wonderful SUPERB survivor of the original mintage of 950,000 pieces.

A rich luster glows from below a layer of deep toning surrounding nicely struck devices. The surfaces LIS OF CARLON OF THE PARTY OF T



are generally smooth, as expected for this exceptionally high grade. The eye appeal is totally original and generally high end.

PCGS 43, NGC 35, CAC 38. Only 11 are graded MS67+, and one is finer at PCGS. Only three examples have ever sold in auction, the most recent being the one in our October 2017 Regency Auction for \$7,344. Prior to that, the Bruce Scher coin that sold for \$35,250 in the 2013 ANA Auction, and this one, which sold for \$8,813 in the 2017 FUN auction. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$13,500. This superb GEM should sell for a premium bid to someone building a top ranking commemorative set.

PCGS# 9296 | ESTIMATE: \$7,500+





LOT 466 50C 1922 GRANT. PCGS MS66 CAC

Exceptionally fresh looking with a bold pearly iridescence with a band of gold at the upper rims gracing both sides. A lovely satin luster shows on silky smooth surfaces.

PCGS 323, NGC 207, CAC 109. A lovely GEM like this is certainly worthy of a strong bid, this type is quite scarce any finer!

PCGS# 9306 | ESTIMATE: \$750+





LOT 467 50C 1925 LEXINGTON . PCGS MS66+ CAC

Pleasing and high end. Satiny, lustrous, well struck, and pretty. The surfaces are clean and free of any distractions—the fields are silky smooth.

PCGS 466, NGC 228, CAC 124. There are 44 graded in 66+ at PCGS, a number likely inflated in hopes of obtaining a higher grade, as only 25 are graded MS67. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,200. A coin like this will look nice in any commem set.

PCGS# 9318 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





LOT 468 50C 1936 LONG ISLAND. PCGS MS67 CAC

This beautifully toned piece is just shy of being a killer runaway type of toner.

Immaculate surfaces are super clean and smooth. Using a strong glass reveals no flaws. A strong luster enlivens the colors too. Both sides are evenly covered by a delightful mix of totally original colors from Mother Nature. Moderate to deeper shades of pearly-silver, reddish-orange, light gold, and variegated colors beam boldly from all over. All of the details are sharply struck with no slide marks seen anywhere (so typical for the date). The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 84, NGC 57, CAC 69. We sold an example in our July 2018 Regency Auction for \$2,970. We know this SUPERB GEM will attract fierce bidding. Only twelve are graded finer, all MS67+.

PCGS# 9322 | ESTIMATE: \$2,200+





LOT 469 50C 1937-D OREGON. PCGS MS68 CAC

A truly stunning and SUPERB example of this popular Classic Commemorative issue. A brilliant, shimmering, frosty, satin luster blooms all over. Both sides have a rich violet, garnet, and gold. Softer accents of rose, emerald, and sunset orange colors blend with the more dominant hues. The strike is bold, with full definition on both sides and the surfaces stand up to close inspection with a strong glass. The eye appeal is SUPERB and is an amazing example that is bested by only five examples at PCGS.

PCGS 58, NGC 73, CAC 38. Only two PCGS/CAC coins sold in 2018, both in LRCA Regency Auctions, the most recent selling for \$3,055 in our November 2018 Regency Auction and one selling for \$9,106 in our July 2018 Regency Auction. The majority of the PCGS/CAC coins have sold in excess of the current PCGS value of \$1,750. This is a very high end SUPERB GEM is worthy of a very high end collection of commems.

PCGS# 9347 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

## LOT 470 50C 1938-S OREGON. PCGS MS67+ CAC





What a very high end, chiseled SUPERB GEM! Every detail is sharply struck up with full, complete definition that makes the devices stand out with exacting precision. The autumnal hued coloration in shades of amber-red clay and gold formed around the details, combined with a thick, frosty luster makes the devices seem to stand out in even fuller relief. The eye appeal is wonderful!

PCGS 201, NGC 166, CAC 99. There are 20 graded MS67+. The most recent CAC-approved example was graded by NGC and sold for \$1,140 in November 2018; prior to that, two PCGS-graded coins

sold for \$900 and \$1,080. Only 17 have been graded finer, and keep in mind that the last PCGS/CAC MS68 to sell realized nearly \$6,500 nearly three years ago. This high end coin is worthy of placement in a very high end set of Classic Commems.

PCGS# 9350 | ESTIMATE: \$1,500+

### LOT 471 50C 1939-D OREGON. PCGS MS68 CAC

This one should be called "Sunset on the Oregon Trail"!
The stunning toning reminds us of a beautiful sunset with lots of orange, gold, and crimson tones that blend with iridescent rose, teal, and olive hues, especially on the reverse. The eye appeal is very dramatic.

Not only is the color stunning but the technical quality is really all there and then some! The details are fully and crisply struck up and stand out with a forceful 3-D





effect. The surfaces are intensely frosty and the luster accentuates the subtleties in the awesome color as the coin is rotated in a light. It is shocking that there are coins graded finer! We know the consignor had tried it for a "+", it is that high end (we don't guarantee it ever will).

PCGS 26, NGC 14, CAC 29. This is one of those commemorative half dollars that you just need to ignore the price guides and look at actual coins that have sold. A somewhat unevenly toned example sold in March 2017 for \$8,225; a PCGS/CAC MS68+ with tab toning sold for \$16,450 in August 2012. With its more even toning and very high end look, this one should bring a price in between those two APRs. A real prize for any toned commemorative specialist, and one that could bring a runaway price.

PCGS# 9353 | ESTIMATE: \$8,000+





#### LOT 472 50C 1939-S OREGON. PCGS MS67 CAC

Totally frosty and original, this well struck MS67 Oregon has a nice eye appeal. Just 3,005 were struck, and this date is RARE any finer.

PCGS 124, NGC 105, CAC 69. The last example of this scarce Oregon realized \$1,146 in our July 2018 Regency Auction and the current PCGS value is listed at \$975. This superb coin will see similarly strong bidding and is bound for a great set.

PCGS# 9354 | ESTIMATE: \$825+

#### LOT 473 50C 1915-S PAN-PAC PCGS MS67 CAC

This is a wonderful classic looking SUPERB GEM Pan Pac Silver. Clearly at some point this had been in an original set in the copper frame.

Superior surfaces are exceedingly clean and smooth. Using a really strong glass all you can find is one small fleck and a toning dot -both mentioned for accuracy. A moderate luster beams from all over. Typical to being in a copper frame, this coin has circular blue toning that opens into a thin band



of violet then deep gold, then into original white centers. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck. The eye appeal is wonderful!

PCGS 93, NGC 60, CAC 66. The last PCGS CAC Pan Pac to sell in auction brought \$5,288.00 04/2018. We expect really strong bidding on this beauty!

PCGS# 9357 | ESTIMATE: \$5,000+





LOT 474 50C 1936-D SAN DIEGO. PCGS MS67 CAC

A frosty GEM with light, dappled, iridescent toning. The eye appeal is wonderful and the details are nicely struck.

PCGS 105, NGC 50, CAC 63. The current PCGS Price Guide value is \$925 and auction records are all over the place, ranging from \$940 to \$5,288. Worthy of a nice set. of classic commems.

PCGS# 9372 | ESTIMATE: \$900+





LOT 475 50C 1936-S TEXAS. PCGS MS67+ CAC

Totally original. Satiny surfaces have a bold mint frost. Sharply struck with soft pastel toning on both sides. The eye appeal is quite nice.

PCGS 136, NGC 86, CAC 74. There are 22 graded MS67+ at PCGS. EXTREMELY RARE any finer, just four coins are graded finer. The last three examples sold in the \$1,320 to \$1,560 range, all are higher than the current \$1,250 Collector's Universe value. Keep in mind that a 68, if you can find one is worth \$20,000+.

PCGS# 9388 | ESTIMATE: \$1,200+



#### LOT 476

### 50C 1938-P,D,S TEXAS SET. PCGS MS67 AND MS67+ CAC

A SUPERB and totally original, well matched Texas P,D,S set! So many of these sets have been broken up over the years. This amazing set obviously has stayed together since the time of issue, each possessing an identical look with a touch of sunset toning at the upper obverse rim. The surfaces are ultra smooth as expected of the lofty grades and the luster is frosty. Each coin has a superb look.

The Philadelphia and San Francisco Mint coins are both graded MS67+ and the Denver Mint issue is graded MS67.

#### The populations are as follows:

Philadelphia. PCGS 77, NGC 50, CAC 42. Only 10 are graded MS67+ and a single MS68 finer. Most recent APR is for \$9,400 in March 2016 and the current Collector's Universe value is \$4,000.

Denver. PCGS 109, NGC 98, CAC 62. The the last two APRs are \$840 and \$1,560 (February and January 2018). The current PCGS value is \$1,150 and there are 31 graded finer.

San Francisco. PCGS 108, NGC 98, CAC 65. There are 15 graded MS67+ at PCGS with just 3 finer in MS68. The last one to sell realized \$2,640 in September 2017 and the current PCGS value is listed at \$2,250.

Combined Collector's Universe value is \$7,400. This Impressive set is worthy of a serious bid from the high end collector of classic commemoratives. This is an important opportunity to add these wonderful, high end examples to your 144-piece set. Good luck!

PCGS# 9394, 9395, 9396 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+

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#### LOT 477 50C 1946-S BOOKER T. WASHINGTON. PCGS MS68 CAC

This stunning, high end,
MONSTER TONED Booker T.
Washington half is a near twin to
the amazing one we sold in our
May 2018 Regency Auction, the
description is just as appropriate
for this one. The toning has the
same blend of original colors
in a more even distribution and
pattern. These are not the same
coins. We cataloged the other
coin as: "We could not believe
our eyes when we saw this coin.
We unhesitatingly pronounce this





piece the FINEST 1946S BTW that exists! Our sister company Legend Numismatics has handled many of world's best toned Commens and paid zoo money for them. This is one date and grade they have never seen. Plus, they have also NEVER seen a BTW as wildly toned. In our opinion, PCGS should have graded this coin a + (we make no guarantees). We could never even imagine a finer piece existing.

Obviously this coin sat in its cardboard holder until recently. For 72 years it was never touched or messed with. We have looked this coin over and over and have found ZERO imperfections of ANY size. The colors are totally original and are beyond amazing. Electric fiery violet red/pearl green/gold/amber swirl wildly on the obverse. The reverse has the same colors only a little less vibrant. Most important every detail is pinpoint sharp in strike. The eye appeal of this coin is not only memorable, but is incredible!

If this were a Morgan Dollar, we'd have put it in our Northern Lights Collection where it would have been one of the BEST period. We rank the colors on this coin a full 11- yes 11 on our 1-10 color scale (10 is the best). That is how wild this coins is."

PCGS 5, NGC 3, CAC 7. The aforementioned coin sold for \$9,988 and it was the ONLY example to ever sell in auction. This coin is worthy of the FINEST collection of commems and will bring a very strong bid!

PCGS# 9406 | ESTIMATE: \$9,000+





#### LOT 478 G\$1 1903 LOUISIANA PURCHASE MCKINLEY PCGS MS67 CAC

What a great looking SUPERB GEM McKinley portrait Louisiana Purchase commemorative!

Fully struck from an early die state, as the multitude of die polish lines have not been worn away from striking. The look is exceptional with fully defined devices and a vibrant and glorious mint luster that captivates the eye. No doubt one of the finest that exists and one of the finest we have offered!

PCGS 132, NGC 123, CAC 68. There are 10 coins graded in 67+ and a mere two finer, both MS68. The most recent PCGS MS67+ CAC to sell in auction realized \$7,931 in our November 2018 Regency Auction, and the current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$8,500. Neither of the MS68s are CAC, and the last one sold for nearly \$26,000! A near twin to the Jefferson Portrait offered earlier, and together they would make a great addition to any top set of gold commemoratives.

PCGS# 7444 | ESTIMATE: \$5,500+



LOT 479
G\$1 1922 GRANT, NO STAR. PCGS MS67 CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

Only 5,000 examples were struck, and the No Star comes in high grade, between both PCGS and NGC have graded 293 examples in MS67, which includes obvious duplication; as these are VERY RARE any finer!

Impressively lustrous surfaces are aglow with a bold vibrance and medium golden hues. The devices are sharply struck up and the surfaces are smooth, clean, and offer a wonderful look.

PCGS 175, NGC 118, CAC 62. The last two examples to sell in auction brought \$2,760 and \$2,750. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$3,500 and keep in mind a 67+ (population 7) will cost over \$8,000! If you are building a set of gold commemoratives, this SUPERB GEM is for you! Good luck!

PCGS# 7458 | ESTIMATE: \$2,500+



LOT 480
G\$1 1922 GRANT, WITH STAR. PCGS MS65 GOLD CAC
FROM THE SYMPHONY COLLECTION.

A beautiful GEM, housed in an old green tag, and conservatively graded, as attested by the gold CAC bean. Rich rose-gold and orange-gold surfaces show icy-blue accents toward the rims, that are enhanced by the exceptional luster. Sharply struck devices do stand out with a bold effect and the surfaces are ultra clean for the assigned grade.

PCGS 564, NGC 326, CAC 72. There are eight gold stickered examples in MS65, none finer. This beauty should be valued like a 66 or a 66+, the last PCGS/CAC MS66+ sold for \$2,115 in June 2017 and the current PCGS value in MS66+ is \$3,000. We think this beauty will bring a price close to that. Worthy of an amazing commem gold dollar set.

PCGS# 7459 | ESTIMATE: \$2,000+

#### LOT 481 G\$1 1852 J-140. PCGS PR66 CAC

This is the FINEST KNOWN example of this annular form gold dollar pattern. The concept was to have a gold dollar that was of the proper weight, but larger diameter so the plachets were rolled larger, and a hole punched in the center allowing for larger size and proper legal weight. This example was struck in copper nickel with a plain edge. U S A and 1852 on the obverse and an olive wreath on the reverse.





The surfaces are beautifully toned and the devices well struck with a bold visual allure. The little bit of fields in this design are flashy and have a great look. This is such a cool pattern that is rarely seen, and one of perhaps a dozen known examples.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. No PCGS PR65 or finer has sold since 2013 and the current Collector's Universe Value is listed at \$16,500 and as the FINEST example this one should see very strong bidding. Good luck!

PCGS# 11589 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+

#### LOT 482 10C 1864 J-381. PCGS PR66+ BN CAC

This is not a Pattern as it is more of a die trial/test piece. Regardless it is an R-7 (4-12 known). It is struck in copper. This piece is clearly very high end.

Deep mirrors beam super strong from all over. The mirrors show astonishing clarity and cleanliness. Even using a strong glass you will not be disappointed. Both sides have totally original colors of light brown/pale violet/pale blue that swirl all over in a gorgeous





pattern. There are NO spots or discolorations. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck, standout, and have light frost. You can tell extra care was used in making this coin. The eye appeal is phenomenal!

PCSG 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This is no doubt the FINEST 1864 J-381. When you consider a normal PR66+ 1864 would cost \$6-\$8,000, a coin like this -with less than 12 made, is a bargain. We expect crazed and super hungry Civil War enthusiasts to seriously bid on this really SUPERB GEM as well as regular Pattern and Dime collectors. Hard to believe, even Simpson only has a PR 64 RB. This coin just surfaces in the market. What a great coin this would be to add to ANY collection!

PCGS# 60552 | ESTIMATE: \$6,500+





#### LOT 483 50C 1865 J-429. PCGS PR66 CAC

This is a gorgeous antedated "transitional" pattern that pairs the regular Proof obverse die of 1865 with a with Motto (1866 and later) reverse die. Rarity-7-, this is a very RARE pattern issue struck for VIP collectors.

Ultra deep watery mirrors and wonderfully toned surfaces attest to the totally original and GEM quality. Pinkish-gold toning with richer orange-amber hues blend with a touch of deeper blue hues. The mirrors have the epitome of

flashy-reflective brilliance. The eye appeal is amazing with a nearly cameo like contrast.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This is the former Bass coin that sold in 2014 for \$15,275. The current PCGS value is \$15,000 and this amazing coin should bring more as it is the FINEST of perhaps 10-12 pieces known. Good luck!

PCGS# 60614 | ESTIMATE: \$14,500+





#### **LOT 484** 5C 1867 J-566. PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Not only is this SUPERB GEM among the FINEST J-566 known, but it is the ONLY CAMEO graded at PCGS!

James Longacre's Liberty Head, similar to the 3 cent nickel. Reverse: Large 5 CENTS in olive branch wreath, small IN GOD WE TRUST above. Struck in nickel with a plain edge. This is a tough R-6-, with 21-30 minted.

Vivid, flashing mirrored fields are the epitome of strong reflection and for a coin struck in nickel, the mirrors have a bold clarity. The devices are fully frosted and stand out with a dramatic and bold eye appeal. The reverse has a dusting of the faintest gold tone that graces the surfaces. A real prize for the specialist and we really like this design!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. In the non-CAM designation, the collector's Universe value is listed at \$3,600. As the single FINEST this one should be worth more! Good luck!

PCGS# 860776 | ESTIMATE: \$3,000+

#### **LOT 486** 10C 1869 J-717A. PCGS PR65 CAM CAC

An extremely RARE pattern dime that was produced to test Ruolz's Alloy, a mix of Silver, Nickel, and Copper. The J-717A is struck in Nickel with a reeded edge. The obverse is the standard Seated dime design without the date below, and the reverse has the metals SIL, NIC, COP. and 1869 below. Listed as R-7+, and with fewer than half a dozen known, this is a very rare and desirable issue.





Deeply mirrored fields are highly reflective and have the ultimate in clarity for a nickel planchet. The devices are sharply struck and thickly frosted. This GEM is impressive in every way with a superb eye appeal.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. The last example in GEM to sell was a PR65 (not CAM) sold for \$9,200 in July 2003! This is a great opportunity to add this important pattern rarity to their collection. Good luck!

PCGS# 535097 | ESTIMATE: \$11,000+





#### **LOT 485** 10C 1869 J-702. PCGS PR64 CAC

A wonderful, border-line GEM example of this Standard Silver dime pattern. Barber's Liberty wears a plain coronet, her hair tied in a ribbon. Standard Silver reverse. Struck in silver with a reeded edge. Rated as a R-5, with 31-75 struck.

This coin is totally FRESH to the market! Our consignor purchased this coin over 30 years ago, and it is still housed in the original first generation PCGS holder. The mirrors are really deep and reflective. The obverse is a full Cameo, with a highly frosted, well struck central device. The reverse has a very pleasing, watery reflection, the devices are sharply struck. The surfaces are clean, in fact with a strong glass, the only mark is a mint made lint mark in the central obverse. The eye appeal is excellent.

PCGS 12, NGC 9, CAC 5. The last PR64 to sell in auction was back in March 2011, realizing \$1,725. More recently, we sold the NGC-graded Steven Cook Collection coin for \$1,234 in July 2018. The current PCGS value is listed at \$1,600 and this brilliant, blast silver example should bring a premium price.

PCGS# 60927 | ESTIMATE: \$1,250+

#### **LOT 487**

#### 10C 1870 J-857. PCGS PR65+ RD

An excessively RARE Standard Silver pattern dime, struck in copper with a reeded edge. Barber's capped Liberty Head with three stars. Rated as R-7+ in the 10th Edition of Judd, and R-8 in Pollock (4-6 known).

Beaming brilliant RED mirrors are the epitome of reflection and boldness. The devices are sharply struck and have a thick coppery frost that provide a nearly CAMEO contrast. The eye appeal is excellent in every way.





PCGS 1, NGC 0. Pollock lists two examples, in all designations, PCGS has graded seven examples. The Simpson coin was PR65 BN. This is likely the FINEST known and is worthy of a fantastic pattern collection.

PCGS# 81101 | ESTIMATE: \$4,500+





#### LOT 488 25C 1870 J-877. PCGS PR65 CAC

This is a truly beautiful example of Barber's Seated Liberty design paired with a Standard Silver reverse. Struck in silver with a plain edge, it is listed as an R-7- (7-12 minted).

Bold watery mirrored fields have a bold reflective flash on both sides. Sharply struck design elements are full and completely defined throughout that standout against the flawless GEM surfaces. Richly toned on both sides, with

shades of crimson, cobalt, and gold. The eye appeal is amazing.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. The current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$5,750 and while this coin brought \$4,500 two and a half years ago, it should bring more today--it is the only high grade example to sell this decade! That is RARE indeed!

PCGS# 61121 | ESTIMATE: \$5,250+

# LOT 489

#### 25C 1870 J-888. PCGS PR63 CAC

R-5 (31-75 minted). Capped head of Liberty with 3 stars. Standard Silver agricultural wreath reverse. Struck in silver with a reeded edge.

Very pretty, rich, original toning drapes the excellent watery reflective mirrored fields on both sides. Even using a strong glass the surfaces are devoid of any distractions and the eye appeal quite nice. Fresh to the market, this CHOICE J-888 is housed in a first generation "rattler" holder, and was purchased by our consignor in November 1988.





PCGS 10, NGC 3, CAC 1. The last one to sell realized \$3,120 in April 2018; prior to that, one sold in June 2011 for \$1,495. The current Collector's Universe value is listed at \$1,650. This old holdered, fresh example will delight any pattern collector, we expect strong bidding.

PCGS# 61132 | ESTIMATE: \$1,300+





#### LOT 490 25C 1871 J-1096. PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

A truly magnificent example of Longacre's Seated Indian Princess design, the FINEST known of this Rarity-7- pattern quarter (7-12 known). We love Longacre's elegant design that shows Liberty presented as a seated Indian Princess holding a pole with a Liberty cap on top. She supports a globe, with two flags draped behind her. This design was implemented by William Barber after James Lonagcre died. An interesting anomaly about this coin is that it does NOT say UNITED STATES OF AMERICA on either the obverse or reverse.

Fully struck up in nearly high relief definition, the frosted obverse devices stand out in full 3-D effect against the deeply and highly reflective watery mirrored fields. A warm, glowing amber-orange and gold toning shows off some icy blue and deep silver color on both sides. The mirrors are icy smooth and completely devoid of anything but mint made die polish lines.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. Finer than the Eliasberg coin which is graded PR66 by PCGS and impounded in the Simpson Collection. This remarkable, SUPERB GEM is better looking than the NGC PR67 CAC Newman Coin that sold in April 2013 for \$10,575. This coin was the NGC PR67 that sold in the 2018 ANA auction for \$13,200. In PR66 (not CAM) the current PCGS Price Guide value is listed at \$15,000. This amazing SUPERB GEM belongs in a WORLD CLASS Pattern set and should bring a record bid when it crosses the block.

PCGS# 682923 | ESTIMATE: \$15,000+

#### LOT 491 \$1 1878 J-1550B. PCGS PR64 RB CAC

An extremely popular pattern Morgan dollar, struck in copper. Morgan's classic Liberty head is used on the obverse, while the reverse has a slightly different reverse eagle than on the regular issue, the most obvious is the shape of the bottom of the wings; this variety shows the "fan" shaped wings, as opposed to having a notch at the bottom. This difference was incorporated into the Judd reference in 2003 with the 8th edition. You will note the PCGS slab designates this coin under the old number, J-1551 and PCGS # 71912. Listed as P-1724, considered R-6+ in Judd 10th Edition and R-7 in Pollock (13-20 minted).

Deep, brick red color mellows with shades of violet, blue, magenta, and pale olive. The obverse fields show incredible reflection in contrast to the frosted and razor sharp struck definition of Liberty's portrait. The mirrors on the reverse are slightly more muted, clearly this coin sat for ages on a velvet or felt tray with that side on the fabric. The eagle is fully struck. Housed in a first generation PCGS holder, our consignor purchased this near-GEM in November 1988, and it is making its first auction appearance in at least a generation in our 30th Regency Auction.

Pollock enumerates three examples:

B&R, November 1974, lot 1038;

Kagin's May 1978, lot 1288

T. Elder (September 1938)-Stack's December 1987, lot 1030-Queller/Lemus.

PCGS 0, NGC 0. Because this coin was graded long before the Judd numbering system changed, this coin does not appear in the PCGS Population Report under J-1550B, but is one of the 3 listed under PCGS # 71912. The only PCGS graded example to ever sell in auction was the J-1550B/P-1726 ex Fairfield Collection, in the 2018 FUN auction for \$18,000, graded PCGS PR65 RB. The Queller-Lemus coin, is the FINEST J-1550B known, sold as NGC PR67 RB for \$23,000 a decade ago (since crossed over). A PCGS PR65 BN sold for \$13,200 in March 2018. The current Collector's Universe value for the J-1551 in PR64 RB is \$16,500. Once you sort out the numbering, what matters is that this old holdered near-GEM example is worthy of an AMAZING collection of Patterns.

PCGS# 11106 | ESTIMATE: \$10,000+





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